



## **Earl Johnson, Jr.**

**Associate Justice, Division 7**

**December 27, 1982 to October 17, 2007**

Born June 10, 1933 in Watertown, South Dakota

### **EDUCATION**

LL.M., Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1961

J.D., University of Chicago School of Law, 1960

B.A., Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1955

State Bar Admission: 1972

### **JUDICIAL EXPERIENCE**

**Associate Justice**, California Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District, Division 7

December 27, 1982 – October 17, 2007, Appointed by Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr.

### **PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND**

**Professor of Law**, USC Law Center, Los Angeles, CA, 1969-1982

**Director**, Legal Services Program, US Office of Economics Opportunity,  
Washington, DC, 1966-1968

**Deputy Director**, Legal Services Program, US Office of Economics Opportunity,  
Washington, DC, 1965-1966

**Deputy Director**, Neighborhood Legal Services, Washington, DC, 1964-1965

**Trial Attorney and Special Assistant US Attorney**, US Department of Justice,  
Washington, DC, 1961-1964

**Lieutenant Junior Grade**, US Navy, 1955-1958

### **PERSONAL**