

KANE, Robert F. FORMER ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL, First Appellate District, Division Two.

Appointed by Governor Reagan March 11, 1971, confirmed by Commission on Judicial Appointments April 8, 1971, oath April 8, 1971, and resigned from bench June 30, 1979. Judge, Superior Court, San Mateo County, 1969-71, appointed by Governor Reagan. Resumed law practice with Ropers, Majeski, Kohn, Bentley, Wagner & Kane, July 1, 1979. Private law practice: Redwood City, San Mateo County, 1955-69 (partner: Kane, Thrasher & Galligan, 1968-69; Kane, Owen & Melbye, 1967; and Ropers, Majeski & Kane, 1955-63); and San Francisco, Calif, 1952-55 (partner, Roos & Jennings, 1953-55; and associate, Bronson, Bronson & McKinnon, 1952-53). Admitted to Calif Bar July 31, 1952; and to U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, and U.S. Dist Court, Northern Dist of Calif, in July 1952. J.D. (Jan 1952), Univ of San Francisco School of Law, San Francisco. A.A. (1948), San Mateo Junior College, Redwood City. Graduate (1944), Burlingame High School, Burlingame, San Mateo County. Served to Petty Officer Third Class, U.S. Navy, World War II, 1944-46. Born March 15, 1926 in Denver, Colorado. Married Mary Catherine Galligan Sept 1, 1951 in Burlingame. Five children: Stephen, born June 26, 1952 (*now* a Judge of the Fresno County Superior Court); Anne, born March 7, 1954; Thomas, born June 24, 1955; James, born Jan 29, 1958; and Mary, born Dec 20, 1960.

Faculty, Hastings Center for Trial and Appellate Advocacy, 1971-84, Lecturer, CEB program on the Evidence Code, 1966. Instructor, San Francisco Law School, San Francisco, 1953-57. Author: "Criminal Discovery-Circuitous Road to a Two Way Street," 7 *Univ of San Francisco L Rev* 203 (1973); "The Inter-Vivos Legacy of Marshall McComb," 5 *Southwestern Univ L Rev* 231 (1973); and "Work Product Cornerstone of Adversary Practice," *Insurance Counsel Journal* (1963-64).

Fellow: International Academy of Trial Judges, 1992-; American College of Trial Lawyers, 1981-; and Calif Academy of Appellate Lawyers, 1979-. Member: Calif Judges Assn, 1969- (President, 1977-78; Executive Board, 1975-78); International Assn of Insurance Counsel, 1960-; International Society of Barristers, 1966-; Board of Trustees, Pacific Legal Foundation (public interest law firm), 1981 (Chairman, 1992-93); San Mateo County Bar Assn, 1955-69 (Board of Directors, 1966-67) and 1979-; Univ of San Francisco Law Society, 1952- (President, 1974); and Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks, San Mateo, 1958-. Former member: National Assn of Railroad Trial Counsel, 1960-69; Bar Assn of San Francisco, 1952-55; Barristers Club, San Francisco, 1952-55 (Vice President, 1954); and Phi Alpha Delta, 1950-60 (Justice, 1952). Catholic. Republican. Enjoys playing handball and golf.