

VOGL, RICHARD GORDON, COMMISSIONER, SUPERIOR COURT, Orange County.

Appointed: By court February 28, 1987, effective March 1, 1987.

Prior Employment: Private law practice in Orange County, (1970-1987 majority of time as sole practitioner). Certified Family Law Specialist December 16, 1981. Deputy City Attorney, City of Santa Ana 1969-1970. Admitted to California Bar January 9, 1969.

Education: J.D. (May 1968) Loyola University School of Law (Now Loyola Law School) Los Angeles, Los Angeles County (recipient of 1968 American Jurisprudence Prizes in "Divorce and Separation" and "Procedure and Code Pleading"). B.S. (June 1965) Long Beach State College (Now California State University) Long Beach. Graduate South High School, Torrance, Los Angeles County (1962). Served to Specialist (E-6), U.S. Army Reserve, (1969-1975.)

Other Education: Annual seminars completed through California Family Law Reports Corporation; Interstate Enforcement of Child Support Conference, (May 17-20, 1987), Tampa, Florida, sponsored by Eastern Regional URESA Conference and Institute for Court Management of National Center for State Courts. Attended 37th National Security Forum of United States Air Force through Air War College at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, (June 10-15, 1990.)

Awards: Awarded Distinguished Jurist Award of 2005 ("Judge of the Year") from American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, Southern California Chapter. Awarded the J.E.T. Rutter Award from Family Law Section of the Orange County Bar Association (1994).

Faculty/Publications: Adjunct Professor at Chapman University School of Law (commencing 1995) for Community Property and Family Law. Instructor at University of California, Irvine, in Family Law for Paralegals (commencing 1996). Author and editor of "The Family Law Corner", a monthly column in The Orange County Lawyer magazine, published by Orange County Bar Association (from February 1985 to March 1995.) Article published, "Helping Your Divorcing Patient" in Orange County Chapter of California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists' Newsletter (March 1990). Article published, "Innovative Measures to Get and Keep Collateral for Child Support Payments" in Child Support Report, (January 1989), published by The Department of Health and Human Services, National Child Support Enforcement Reference Center. Instructor, Western State University College of Law, Anaheim, Orange County, (1970-1971.)

Memberships: Founder, Orange County Performing Arts Center, (1985), and past member of Board of Directors of "Founders Plus" support organization.

Born: August 18, 1944 in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Married Marcia Chang (former music teacher in Garden Grove Unified School District) August 22, 1974 in Honolulu, Hawaii. Has three adult children. Episcopalian (Vestry 1986-87). Enjoys reading, writing, travel, and scroll saw woodcraft.

Assignments: Family Law Ex Parte calendar, Orders to Show Cause in Family Law matters, Domestic Violence Restraining Order calendar, and District Attorney Child Support Calendar, Juvenile Court custody cases. Has participated in Emergency Protective Order panel of Judges for domestic violence restraining orders on 24-hour basis.

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