

**Litigation Partner Stuart Johnson Joins  
Carico Johnson Toomey LLP**

*--Name partner heads firm's litigation department--*

EL SEGUNDO, CA - Carico Johnson Toomey LLP (CJT), a South Bay law firm offering a broad range of legal services for high net-worth individuals and successful businesses, has announced the addition of S.V. Stuart Johnson as a name partner and head of the litigation department. Mr. Johnson counsels clients in a wide variety of business disputes and has particular expertise in the area of complex commercial disputes and insurance matters. Prior to joining CJT, Mr. Johnson was with Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP.

"We are fortunate to find someone with Stu's extensive litigation knowledge and experience," said managing partner Philip Toomey. "He will undoubtedly be a tremendous benefit to the firm and our clients."

Mr. Johnson obtained his J.D. from Loyola Law School in Los Angeles, and his B.A. in Economics from University of California, Los Angeles. Mr. Johnson previously served as an extern law clerk for Judge Harry Pregerson of the United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, and for Judge Richard C. Neal of the Los Angeles County Superior Court.

CJT, led by partners Christopher Carico – head of Trusts & Estates, Philip Toomey – head of Employment and Business, and Stuart Johnson, is committed to providing thorough analysis, practical advice and outstanding service to its clients.