

Cases That We Have Handled

The Law Offices of Alan Forester has successfully represented clients in many cases including:

- A contract dispute case on behalf of an elderly client in which we discovered on the stand that the defendant committed forgery.
- Forester and Associates also represented a large liquor store-distributor in San Francisco in the Mission district which had been restricted in the sale of alcohol. We successfully negotiated lifting this restriction with the San Francisco Police Department.
- Forester and Associates also represented many liquor stores in Northern and Southern California which allegedly sold alcohol to a minor. By an aggressive defense and requesting proper evidence and relying on evidentiary matters, many of the cases were dismissed.
- Forester and Associates represented various clients in front of the Internal Revenue Service and the Franchise Tax Board. We have successfully reduced the amount of tax liabilities for various clients.
- Forester and Associates has filed a personal injury case against a big movie studio for \$14 million dollars, and the case was successfully settled for an undisclosed amount of money.

Significant Issues Litigated

- This firm represented a medical professional client in front of the Internal Revenue Service. We argued that entertainment expenses are expenses related to the client's W-2 and not his corporation return. As a result we amended the individual and corporate return and the IRS agreed with our findings.
- This firm also represented a client in front of the Alcohol- Beverage Control Appeals Board. We argued that the Alcohol-Beverage Control findings at the trial level was biased toward the client because the client did not speak proper English and could not understand the directions given to him by the San Francisco Police Department. We were able to get an extension from the Appeals Board to file a brief and meanwhile the client was able to find a buyer for his liquor store.
- In a DUI case (driving under the influence) in San Francisco Municipal Court, our firm requested some evidentiary matters which previously never had been asked for in these kinds of cases. As a result of our request the District Attorney was not able to provide the evidence and the case was dismissed by the judge.
- In a law suit against a big movie studio, our firm discovered that various accidents, similar to the accident that injured our client, had happened earlier at the same location where our client was injured. We were able through legal means to obtain internal accidents reports for those accidents and that created the situation wherein the defendant agreed to a favorable settlement for our client.