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At the time of his appointment to the Court of Appeal in 2005, Justice Siggins was Counsel and Legal Affairs Secretary to Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger. Before that he had a 15-year tenure at the California Attorney General's Office under Attorneys General Van de Kamp, Lungren and Lockyer. He left the attorney general's office as Attorney General Lockyer's Chief Deputy. He has tried cases and argued appeals in state and federal courts, and authored over 1,000 opinions during his 15-year tenure on the Court of Appeal.

Prior to joining the Attorney General's Office, Justice Siggins practiced general civil litigation and maritime law in San Francisco with the firm of Acret & Perrochet (1980-1983), as a sole practitioner (1983-1985), and in the two lawyer firm of German & Siggins (1985-1988). He is a native San Franciscan. He graduated from Loyola Marymount University (B.A. 1977), and Hastings College of the Law (J.D. 1980).