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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Karen Gabler co-founded LightGabler in 2011. She was instrumental in the firm's growth, helping to build the firm from seven to 20 people and from 287 to over 2,000 clients.

Gabler serves as an employment law expert for more than 700 businesses, providing counsel to management and conducting training programs for management and employees. She performs internal audits of clients' employment practices to ensure strategic compliance with current laws and conducts client investigations of employee allegations regarding harassment, discrimination, employee theft or other misconduct.

Gabler also defends her clients against employment law claims in state and federal courts as well as in administrative hearings, arbitration and mediation. She has successfully resolved hundreds of claims on behalf of her clients.

Since 2009, Gabler has presented twice-monthly complimentary breakfast seminars on a variety of employment practices and policies for clients, business owners and human resource professionals. She is also a sought-after speaker on employment law issues for a variety of human resource and business organizations.

Her professional honors include being named a Southern California "Super Lawyer" every year since 2012, a designation given to only the top 5 percent of practicing attorneys. Gabler is an active community leader. She received 805 Living Magazine's "Giving Back" Award and the United Way of Ventura County's "Milton M. Teague Award" for community service.

Gabler graduated from the University of Hawaii with a bachelor's degree in psychology. She earned her law degree from the University of Hawaii's William S. Richardson School of Law.