

Slapped Down: California Supreme Court Rules Anti-SLAPP Law Applies to Mixed Causes of Action

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In *Baral v. Schnitt*, the California Supreme Court addressed a question that has divided California appellate courts for more than a decade: whether a special motion to strike under California's anti-SLAPP statute ([C.C.P. 425.16](#)) can be granted with respect to a "mixed cause of action" that combines allegations concerning both protected conduct, i.e., the rights of petition and free speech, and unprotected activity... [Continue Reading](#)