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Mavish Bana and Kim Kerns to Present Critical Topics at Firm-Sponsored APIS Conference

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Spencer Fane is pleased to sponsor the Asian Pacific Interest Section (APIS) of the State Bar of Texas' 27th Annual Conference in Dallas, Texas on April 11-12. Attorneys Mavish Bana and Kim Kerns will lead critical discussions during the following segments:

First, Mavish will speak on a panel, Artificial Intelligence Is Shaping the Legal Industry in Texas: Perspectives from Litigation, Transactional, and In House Attorneys, on April 11. Her presentation will provide a timely update on how attorneys and specific industries are taking AI into stride and how it is shaping the practice of law for both in-house counsel and outside counsel.

Later that day, Kim will moderate a panel discussion, The State of Inclusion and the Role of Allyship in Turbulent Times, which focuses on reactions to the political push to end diversity, equity, and inclusion programs. Panelists will provide insight on the how inclusion efforts are evolving to address the backlash experienced by law firms, corporations, and government sectors alike, and offer perspectives on cultivating allyship and belonging.

The APIS Conference is the only statewide conference for all Asian and South Asian attorneys across Texas. Click <u>here</u> to register.

At the firm, Kim, an accomplished trial attorney, guides clients through all phases of litigation in commercial and real estate matters. She uses her extensive courtroom experience to not only achieve favorable verdicts when trial becomes necessary but

also coordinate favorable outcomes through dispositive motions and settlement to provide resolutions that match a client's unique business objectives.

Mavish is complex commercial litigation attorney who focuses her practice noncompete, trade secret, and fiduciary duty litigation. She represents a variety of clients from individuals and startups to Fortune 500 companies across a variety of industries.