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Alabama Center For Dispute Resolution Application for Registration on the Alabama Private Judges Roster

Application for registration on the Alabama Private Judge Roster is made pursuant to Act 2012-266, as amended pursuant to Act 2018-384

PART I: Private Judges qualifications to be verified pursuant to Act 2012-266 Section 2.(a), as amended by Act 2018-384

Persons who may act as private judges shall:

- (1) Have been, but are not actively serving as, a judge of a district, circuit, or probate court and have served in the capacity of judge for at least six consecutive years.
- (2) Be admitted to the practice of law in Alabama.
- (3) Be an active member in good standing of the Alabama State Bar Association.
- (4) Be a resident of Alabama.

PART II: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

GENERAL:

1. Name: _____
Last First Middle
- _____
- Law Firm or Organization (Current Employment)
- _____
- Street or P.O. Box
- _____
- City County State Zip Code
2. Telephone Numbers: Business _____ Fax _____
3. Website _____
4. Email _____

EDUCATION:

1. What is the highest degree that you have attained to date? _____
2. Colleges and universities attended:
- | <i>Name of school</i> | <i>City/State</i> | <i>Dates Attended From/To</i> | <i>Degree(s) Attained</i> | <i>Major</i> |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
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OCCUPATION:

1. What is/was your primary occupation? Please attach a current resume or vitae to this application.

2. What is your current employment status?
- Employed full-time in your primary occupation
 - Employed part-time in primary occupation
 - Retired
 - Unemployed
3. I hold an occupational license and I am an active member in good standing of the ASB.
My license # _____
4. I am admitted to the practice of law in Alabama. _____ *Initial*
5. I am a resident of Alabama. _____ *Initial*
6. I am not currently serving as an Alabama District or Circuit Judge. _____ *Initial*

7. Applicant acknowledges that he or she is not covered by the State of Alabama Unified Judicial System general liability insurance policy, and the AOC is under no obligation to provide insurance coverage to any private judge under Act # 2012-266, and as amended by Act # 2018-384. You may want to purchase malpractice insurance to cover your private judge practice, or notify your carrier.
_____ *Initial*

PART III: JUDICIAL SERVICE

1. I have served in the capacity of (check one or more)
___ District Judge or ___ Circuit Judge or ___ Probate Judge for at least six consecutive years.
_____ *Initial*

2. List dates, circuit and counties of judicial service as a **District Judge**.

3. List dates, circuit and counties of judicial service as a **Circuit Judge**:

4. List dates, circuit and counties of judicial service as a **Probate Judge**:

PART VI: YOUR JUDICIAL FEE RATE _____

PART VII: APPLICATION/REGISTRATION FEES

I have enclosed the following:
 Application fee of \$30
 Registration fee of \$150

Please make check payable to: The Alabama Center for Dispute Resolution

PART VIII: PRACTICE AREAS including specific subjects that might be useful to someone looking for a private judge for a domestic relations, contract, tort or combination of contract and tort case. List up to 12.

PART IX: COUNTIES

SELECT ALL STATE
OR SELECT UP TO 14 COUNTIES

PART VIII: AUTHORIZATION, SIGNATURE AND NOTARY PUBLIC SEAL

For the purpose of suitability for registration and continuation on the Alabama Private Judges Roster, I _____, consent to have the center contact the Office of Professional Responsibility and Administrative Office of the Courts regarding membership and judicial service. I authorize the Office of Professional Responsibility where I am licensed and the Administrative Office of the Courts or any other person, firm, company, corporation, court, association, or agency to furnish the Alabama Center for Dispute Resolution (Center) with information regarding my judicial service or membership, and to permit copies to be made of such documents, records or other information for the purpose of discussion regarding Roster registration. I give permission to the Center to contact references and otherwise investigate to verify all information provided.

I agree to notify the Center of any changes to information submitted within 30 days of such changes. I also agree to notify the Center with a change of address within 30 days. In addition, I certify that the information supplied on this application is correct, and that to the best of my knowledge I qualify for registration on the Alabama Private Judges Roster.

State of _____ County of _____

Signature of Applicant

Date

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature of Notary Public

State of _____

My Commission Expires on: _____

Please return application and attachments to:

**ALABAMA CENTER FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION
Post Office Box 5042
Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5042**