UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 1987 I.D. No.: 2329

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1983 Bar No.: 3449

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals (1990) District of Columbia (1992 - #434205)

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations: South Carolina Bar; South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys' Association (Executive Committee)

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? X yes ___ no

Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary proceeding in any jurisdiction? ___ yes X no

Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons or disciplined for professional misconduct? ___ yes X no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 1983 Law School University of South Carolina

Other professional degrees received (including year and school) _____

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:
Engaged in a practice involving labor law, employment law, toxic tort litigation, products liability litigation and other commercial litigation. Frequent speaker on areas of practice, including continuing legal education programs.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 40 % or defense 60 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 75 % State 25 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 16

EXPERTISE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

____ Admiralty
____ Antitrust
2 Contracts
1 Environment
____ Fraud or Civil RICO
____ Insurance
____ Miller Act
____ Personal Injury
2 Product Liability
____ Other (specify)_____

____ Security or Shareholders suits
2 Labor
____ ERISA
2 Wrongful Termination
2 Civil Rights in Employment
____ Other Civil Rights
____ Copyrights
____ Patent
____ Trademark

Publications: South Carolina Lawyer, "Trade Secrets in South Carolina: New Act Changes Outlook for Employers." January/February 1998

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): Have participated as party counsel in mediations involving environmental claims, discrimination claims, and condemnation claims.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator: South Carolina Circuit Court certification

Number of mediations conducted: 0

MEDIATION TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
S.C. Council for Confl. Res.	Circuit Ct. Civ. Med. Training	1/14-18/99	Greenville	40

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing mediation conferences in the District of South Carolina? _X_ yes ____ no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

Attached are my application for qualification as a South Carolina Circuit Court mediator and notice of approval.

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

_X_ Columbia ___ Charleston _X_ Greenville ___ Florence

Other_____

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: $ 200 Minimum charge each mediation:$ None

How do you bill for travel? (explain): Negotiable

I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; to the Rules on Disciplinary Procedure, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; and the Local Rules of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Clerk of Court of any change in the above facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of information contained in this application to litigants and other members of the public.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature_____ Date 8/26/99
Applicant

Return completed application to:
U.S. District Court
Mediation
1845 Assembly Street
Columbia, SC 29201-2431

Approved:_____ Date 11/9/99
U.S. District Judge

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