

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: 06-13-97 I.D. No.: 6846

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 11-13-95 Bar No.: 8552

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.):

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations:

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

Have you, within the last five years, been publicly reprimanded or publicly disciplined for professional conduct?
 yes no

Have you, within the last five years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons, or been
disbarred/suspended from the practice of law? yes no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 1995 Law School University of South Carolina

Other professional degrees received (including year and school):

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

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:

- 1995 - 1996 Law Clerk to Honorable John C. Hayes
- 1996 - 1997 Assistant Solicitor York County
- 1997 - Present Holcombe Bomar, PA - Since 2000, I have handled many different types of civil litigation, primarily for the defense.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 2 % or defense 98 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 2 % State 98 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 13

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).

<u> </u> Admiralty	<u> 2 </u> Security or Shareholders suits
<u> </u> Antitrust	<u> </u> Labor
<u> 2 </u> Contracts	<u> </u> ERISA
<u> </u> Environment	<u> </u> Wrongful Termination
<u> </u> Fraud or Civil RICO	<u> </u> Civil Rights in Employment
<u> 2 </u> Insurance	<u> </u> Other Civil Rights
<u> </u> Miller Act	<u> </u> Copyrights
<u> 1 </u> Personal Injury	<u> </u> Patent
<u> 2 </u> Product Liability	<u> </u> Trademark
<u> 1 </u> Other (specify) <u>Med/Malpractice</u>	

Publications: _____

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): _____

I have never served as a mediator, but I have mediated 30+ cases.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator (please note any certifications):

I have been certified as a mediator by the S.C. Board of Arbitrator and Mediator Certification.

Number of mediations conducted: 0 Number of other ADR sessions conducted: 0

MEDIATION AND OTHER ADR TRAINING

<u>Course Provider</u>	<u>Course Content</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>No. of Hours</u>
SC Bar	See Attached	8/22-8/26/13	SC Bar Conf Center	40.00

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing alternative dispute resolution in the District of South Carolina? yes no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:
I have been in active litigation for 13 years. I have mediated numerous cases of different subject matters.

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

Columbia Charleston Greenville Florence
Other Spartanburg

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$ 300.00 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ N/A

How do you bill for travel? (explain): 1/2 hourly rate

I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; the Rules for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement, 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 Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Director 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: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 9/6/13
Applicant

Return completed application to:
Danny H. Mullis, Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program
United States District Court
Post Office Box 835
Charleston, SC 29402-0835

Reviewed: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 9/10/13
ADR Program

Approved: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 9/10/13
U.S. District Judge