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.

Name: James P. Sheehy

Firm or Office Name: _____

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

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

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 2000 Bar No.: 68086

Other courts or jurisdiction to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): _____
State of Michigan, 1970, P20321; US District Court, WD Mich, 1970: US Supreme Court, 1973

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations: See Attached: **Leadership**

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 1969 Law School University of Detroit School of Law

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:

1970-1980 Private Practice, James P. Sheehy, P.C., Rochester Hills, MI

1981- 2000 Judge of the District Court, 52-3 Judicial District, State of Michigan

Adjunct Instructor, Dept. of Political Science, Oakland University, Rochester, MI
Guest Lecturer, University of Detroit-Mercy, Detroit, MI
Faculty Member, Michigan Judicial Institute, Lansing, MI

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

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

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 11

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" or "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (*e.g.*, "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

____	Admiralty	____	Security or Shareholder suits
____	Antitrust	____	Labor
X	Contracts	____	ERISA
____	Environment	____	Wrongful Termination
____	Fraud or Civil RICO	____	Civil Rights in Employment
X	Insurance	____	Other Civil Rights
____	Miller Act	____	Copyrights
X	Personal Injury	____	Patent
X	Product Liability	____	Trademark
X	Other (specify) Municipal Law		

Publications: _____

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above):
Mediation/ Arbitration Oakland Macomb Counties, MI malpractice, contracts, personal injury

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator (please note any certifications):
Charleston County Circuit Court (One assignment-dismissed before hearing)

Number of mediations conducted: 4 Number of other ADR sessions conducted: 1

MEDIATION AND OTHER ADR TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
Michigan Judicial Institute	Dispute Resolution	May 4, 1993	Traverse City, MI	16
National Judicial College	Mediation Course	May 21, 1993	Reno, NV	40
National Judicial College	Dispute Resolution Skills	Nov. 20, 1998	Charleston, SC	35
Oakland Mediation Center	Facilitative Mediation Training	Oct. 3, 1999	BloomH, MI	39

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practices governing alternative dispute resolution 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.

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Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

____ Columbia X Charleston ____ Greenville ____ Florence

Other _____

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: $200 Minimum charge each mediation: $500

How do you bill for travel? (explain): Where travel is necessary—actual costs

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 medication 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: James P. Sheehy Date: 9-9-00
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: Danny H. Mullis Date: 9/13/00
ADR Program

Approved: _____ Date: 9/13/00
U.S. District Judge

3/2000

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Objective

To promote high standards in the Legal Profession, and encourage the professional alternative resolution of disputes.

Experience

2000 Mediation Services Mt. Pleasant, SC

Mediation/Arbitration/Facilitation Bloomfield Hills, MI

- Neutral and Advocate roles in arbitration hearings
- Mediator and Facilitator in dispute resolution

1981 – 2000 State of Michigan 52-3 Judicial District

District Judge

- Elected to 6 year term starting January 1981.
- Re-elected in 1986, 1992, and 1998.

1970 - 1981 James P. Sheehy, Attorney Rochester Hills, MI

Private Practice of Law

- General practice, including special counsel to K-Mart Corp.
- Municipal attorney, City of Auburn Hills (formerly Pontiac Township).

1969 - 1970 Michigan Supreme Court Lansing, MI

Law Clerk

- Clerk for Chief Justice Thomas E. Brennan

Education

- B.S., Marketing, University of Detroit, Detroit, MI.
- J.D., University of Detroit School of Law, Detroit, MI.

Teaching

- Adjunct Instructor, Department of Political Science, Oakland University, Rochester, MI
- Guest Lecturer, University of Detroit-Mercy School of Law, Detroit, MI
- Faculty Member, Michigan Judicial Institute

Leadership

Past President, Oakland County District Judges' Association
President, University of Detroit-Mercy School of Law Alumni Association

Member: American Judges Association, State Bar of Michigan, State Bar of South Carolina. Life Fellow: Michigan State Bar Foundation.

Certificate of Training

Presented

to

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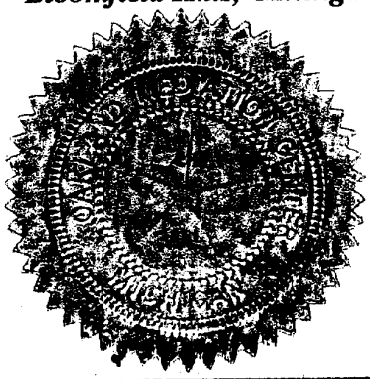
FOR COMPLETION OF 38 HOURS OF FACILITATIVE MEDIATION TRAINING
AT
OAKLAND MEDIATION CENTER

October 3, 1999
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan



CDRP Certified Instructors

Harvey Burdick

Harvey Burdick, Ph.D

Nanci Klein

Nanci Klein, J.D.

The National Judicial College

American Bar Association

This certificate is awarded to

JAMES P. SHEEHY

In recognition of faithful completion of the

Dispute Resolution Skills Course

In witness whereof, this certificate has been signed by the Chair of the Board of Trustees and the President of The National Judicial College at the University of Nevada, Reno.

November 20, 1998

Daniel E. Wathen, Chair

Percy R. Luney, Jr., President

The National Judicial College

American Bar Association

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Mediation Course

In witness whereof this certificate has been signed by the Chairperson of the Board of Directors and the Dean of the College at the University of Nevada, Reno.

May 21, 1993

Rodney A. Peeples, Chairperson

V. Robert Payant, Dean