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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**

### **PART I: Private Judges qualifications to be verified pursuant to Act 2012-266 Section 2.(a)**

Persons who may act as private judges shall:

- (1) Have been, but are not actively serving as, a judge of a district or circuit 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>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**OCCUPATION:**

1. What is/was your primary occupation? 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. 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 both) \_\_\_ District Judge or \_\_\_ Circuit 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**:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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**PART VI: YOUR JUDICIAL FEE RATE** \_\_\_\_\_

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**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

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**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.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**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 671  
Montgomery, Alabama 36101**