

# Application to Serve as a Temporary Judge and/or Settlement Conference Attorney

## SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF EL DORADO

### Return completed application to:

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### 1. Contact Information

- a. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ b. California SBN: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Business address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Phones: Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. Areas of Interest

- a. I am willing to serve as a  court-appointed temporary judge and/or  settlement conference attorney in the following types of cases:  
 Family Law ADR  Civil ADR  Small Claims  Traffic  Unlawful Detainers  
 Other - Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. I am available to serve at the following times:  
 Morning  Afternoon  Evening  
 Monday  Tuesday  Wednesday  Thursday  Friday  
 Assignments on short notice  
 Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_
- c. I am willing to serve at the following court locations:  
 All west slope  Cameron Park  South Lake Tahoe  Placerville  
 The following locations only: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. I am not available to serve as follows (describe and explain): \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Professional and Personal Qualifications

- a. Date of admission to the State Bar of California: \_\_\_\_\_ Years of active membership: \_\_\_\_\_
- b.  I am also admitted to practice law in the states listed below:  
State: \_\_\_\_\_ Date admitted: \_\_\_\_\_ Bar No: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Are you in good standing in each state where you are licensed to practice law?  Yes  No  
(If no, provide an explanation in Attachment 3c.)
- d.  I am certified as a specialist by the State Bar of California Board of Legal Specialization or by an organization whose certification program has been accredited by the State Bar of California.  
Areas of specialization: \_\_\_\_\_
- e.  I am certified as a legal specialist by other states or organizations as follows (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
Areas of specialization: \_\_\_\_\_

Your name:

State Bar Number:

### 3. Professional and Personal Qualifications *(continued)*

- f. Have you ever been disciplined by the State Bar of California or by a bar association or other professional licensing entity in any state or by a court of record, including being sanctioned or held in contempt? Yes  No
- g. Do you have any disciplinary action pending against you by the State Bar of California or by a bar association or other professional licensing agency in any state or by a court of record, including any proceeding for the imposition of sanctions or for contempt? Yes  No
- h. Have you ever been convicted or pleaded no contest to a felony or misdemeanor? Yes  No
- i. Are you now or have you ever been a defendant in any felony or misdemeanor proceeding? Yes  No
- j. Have you ever been a party to any legal proceeding? Yes  No

*(If you answered yes to questions 3f, g, h, i, or j, provide additional information in an Attachment.)*

### 4. Practical Experience

- a. The principal portion of my law practice in California is in the following courts *(specify state and federal courts, including trial and appellate courts, if applicable)*
- b. I currently practice in the following areas of law *(list each subject area of law that occupies at least 10 percent of your time)*:

- c. Do you hold yourself out publicly as representing exclusively one side in any area of litigation practice?  Yes  No *(If yes, provide the following information):*

Area of Practice

Side Represented

- d. Do you represent one side in more than 90 percent of your cases in any area of litigation practice?  Yes  No *(If yes, provide the following information):*

Area of Practice

Side Represented

### 5. Experience as a Temporary Judge and/or Settlement Conference Attorney

- a. Have you ever previously served as a temporary judge/settlement conference attorney? Yes  No   
*(If yes, describe in Attachment 5a your prior service, including the names of the courts and the locations where you served, the approximate number and types of matters heard, and the approximate dates of service.)*
- b. Have you ever been removed by a court as temporary judge/settlement conference attorney? Yes  No   
*(If yes, describe the circumstances in Attachment 5b, including the court, the date you were removed, and the reasons for your removal.)*

### 6. Training

Describe any training that you have received that qualifies you under California Rules of Court, rules 2.812( c) - (d), 2.813, 2.815 to serve as a court-appointed temporary judge and/or settlement conference attorney, including the subjects, the dates, and the name of the court or other provider of the training. **Copies of certificates of attendance for each training must be attached:**





Your name:

State Bar Number:

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**OATH OF OFFICE AND CERTIFICATION BY TEMPORARY JUDGE  
AND/OR SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE ATTORNEY**

**OATH OF OFFICE**

I, the undersigned, do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

Dated:

Temporary Judge/Settlement Conference Attorney

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**CERTIFICATION BY TEMPORARY JUDGE/SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE ATTORNEY**

I, the undersigned, certify that I am aware of and will comply with applicable provisions of Canon 6 of the California Code of Judicial Ethics and the California Rules of Court.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated:

Temporary Judge/Settlement Conference Attorney

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**ORDER OF APPOINTMENT**

The Court, noting the Oath of Office and Certification by Temporary Judge/Settlement Conference Attorney set forth above, duly executed and good cause, therefore appearing:

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that

be and he/she hereby is  Temporary Judge  Settlement Conference Attorney. This order shall remain in effect until revoked.

Dated:

Superior Court Judge