

King County Arbitrator’s Biographical Information, Declaration of Compliance & Oath

ALL SECTIONS BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED / THIS DOCUMENT WILL BE FILED WITH THE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK

Return To: Arbitration Department, King County Superior Court, 516 Third Ave. Seattle, WA 98104

mandatoryarbitration@kingcounty.gov or Fax 206-205-0545

Name: Updated New
 Bar Number: Year Admitted into Bar:

Contact Information:

Firm Name: Email:
 Address:
 Phone Number: Fax Number:

Legal Associations:

WSAJ / WSTLA WDTL
 If neither, do you represent mostly plaintiffs _____ (%) or defendants _____ (%)?
 Other (please list):

Experience: You will only be appointed in areas that constitute at least 15% of your practice.

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| | Percentage of Practice by Category: <i>(Must have at least 15% of your practice in one of the below categories)</i> | Trial experience: <i>(Last 5 Years)</i> |
| Collection / Contract: | _____ | _____ |
| Commercial: | _____ | _____ |
| Personal Injury / Tort: | _____ | _____ |
| Real Property / Land Use: | _____ | _____ |

Other area(s) of your practice (indicate as percentage):

| | % | | % | | % |
|---------------------|---|-----------------------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Admin. Law | | Contract | | Legal Malpractice | |
| Admiralty | | Corporations / Business Org | | Motor Vehicle Tort | |
| Animal Law | | Elder Law / Guardianship | | Product Liability | |
| Bankruptcy | | Employment / Labor | | Securities | |
| Class Action | | Foreclosure | | Tax | |
| Constitutional Law | | Insurance | | Trusts / Estates | |
| Construction | | Intellectual Property | | | |
| Consumer Protection | | Landlord / Tenant | | | |

Number of Times Served as:

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| King County Arbitrator | | Superior Court Pro Tem Judge | |
| Arbitrator (Other County) | | Superior Court Pro Tem Commissioner | |
| Admin. Law Judge | | District Court Judicial Officer | |

Declaration of Compliance

RCW 7.06.040 requires that a person may not serve as arbitrator unless the person has completed a minimum of three credits of Washington state bar association approved continuing legal education credits on the professional and ethical considerations for serving as arbitrator. A person serving as an arbitrator must file a declaration or affidavit stating or certifying to the appointing court that the person is in compliance with this section. This training is mandatory only **if** you have been on the arbitration panel for less than 5 years or have served as arbitrator less than five (5) times. If that requirement applies to you and you have not completed the requisite training(s) you will not be appointed to any cases until you fulfill that requirement.

Have you completed the minimum of three credits of Washington State Bar Association approved continuing legal education credits on the professional and ethical considerations for serving as an arbitrator (RCW 7.06.040(2)(a))?

YES - Date of Completion: _____ / ***I certify this training(s) constitute(s) at least 3 hours of continuing legal education on the professional and ethical considerations for serving as arbitrator.***

NO - **I have been on the panel for more than five years and/or have served as arbitrator five or more times.**

Oath of Arbitrator

I, _____, swear or affirm, that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Washington and will arbitrate all matters coming before me faithfully and with fairness to all parties.

My signature below acknowledges that the information contained in the Arbitrator’s Biographical Information Form is true and accurate. I have read and understand the King County Superior Court Mandatory Arbitration Department Arbitrator Complaint Process and agree to be bound by it and any future amendments thereto.

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

Signed at _____, Washington on _____.
