

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF OREGON

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APPLICATION FOR INCLUSION ON COURT'S	)	Walro, R.A.
REGISTER OF QUALIFIED MEDIATORS	)	
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I, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY APPLY FOR INCLUSION ON THE REGISTER OF MEDIATORS QUALIFIED FOR SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON. IN MAKING THIS APPLICATION I CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT:

1. I WILL FULLY COMPLY WITH THE RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF THIS COURT'S GENERAL ORDERS, LOCAL RULES, AND LOCAL FORMS, AND ANY MODIFICATIONS THERETO, RELATING TO MEDIATION.

2. I HAVE BEEN LICENSED UNDER THE LAWS OF OREGON IN THE PROFESSIONS LISTED BELOW (E.G., ATTORNEY, ACCOUNTANT, REAL ESTATE BROKER, APPRAISER, ENGINEER, ETC.) FOR THE NUMBER OF YEARS INDICATED:

PROFESSION	ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	YEARS
Attorney	Oregon State Bar	13

3. I AM, OR HAVE BEEN, A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING OF THE FOLLOWING PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

ORGANIZATION	MEMBERSHIP #	NO. OF YEARS	ACTIVE/RETIRED
Oregon State Bar	81410	13	Active
American Bar Association	98626976SU	13	Active
American Bankruptcy Institute		6	Active

4. A GENERAL EXPLANATION OF MY EXPERIENCE IN EACH OF MY AFOREMENTIONED PROFESSIONS IS LISTED BELOW:

I am a shareholder in Gaydos, Churnside & Walro, P.C. in Eugene. I have been an attorney in private practice since 1981. I am a graduate of the U. of Oregon Law School (Order of the Coif, 1981), and the University of Notre Dame (Magna Cum Laude, 1971). My practice has been focused in bankruptcy and in business, commercial and consumer transactions, collections and litigation. I have also represented clients in real property, intellectual property, and domestic relations matters and disputes.

5. I HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING OREGON STATE BAR CONTINUING EDUCATION MEDIATION TRAINING PROGRAMS:

COURSE	HOURS	CLE CREDITS
OSB Debtor/Creditor Section Sponsored Bankruptcy Mediation Training, January 25-26, 1994 (Two days)	16	16 Hours

6. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF OTHER COURT, STATE OR FEDERAL MEDIATION PROGRAMS I HAVE COMPLETED:

COURT	PROGRAM	HOURS
N.A.		

7. THE FOLLOWING IS A GENERAL STATEMENT CONCERNING OTHER PERTINENT MEDIATION TRAINING I HAVE RECEIVED:

N.A.

8. THE FOLLOWING IS A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF MY PERTINENT BANKRUPTCY EXPERIENCE:

I have practiced in Bankruptcy Court in Oregon since 1982. I have primarily represented secured and unsecured creditors, in Chapter 7, 11 and 13. I have also represented debtors, trustees and creditors committees in many business and consumer matters and cases.

9. THE FOLLOWING IS A GENERAL EXPLANATION OF ANY OTHER PERTINENT EXPERIENCE I HAVE:

My broad range of experience in and out of bankruptcy court is useful in mediating bankruptcy disputes, which by their nature can cover virtually any area of the law. I helped form and have been Chair of the Debtor-Creditor Section ADR Committee which drafted and promoted adoption of the Mediation General Order in Oregon. I have frequently organized and spoken at CLE programs on bankruptcy topics, for the Debtor-Creditor Section, Oregon State Bar, Oregon Law Institute and Northwest Bankruptcy Institute.

I will act as mediator in Eugene and southern Oregon, as well as Portland and other parts of the state. I will consider pro bono appointment in the proper case.

10. I HAVE:

(A) NEVER BEEN SUSPENDED, DISBARRED OR HAD ANY PROFESSIONAL LICENSE REVOKED;

(B) NO PENDING PROCEEDING TO SUSPEND OR REVOKE ANY OF MY PROFESSIONAL LICENSES; AND

(C) NEVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY.

11. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF EACH OF MY PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS FOR INCLUSION ON ANY COURT'S MEDIATION REGISTER, AND AN EXPLANATION OF THE CURRENT STATUS OF EACH SUCH APPLICATION (E.G., PRESENT STATUS; CIRCUMSTANCES, AND DATE, OF ANY REMOVAL):

APPLICATION DATE	COURT	PRESENT STATUS
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12. UNLESS FULLY DISCLOSED AND THE POTENTIAL DISQUALIFYING CIRCUMSTANCE WAS THEN WAIVED BY THE COURT AND ALL PARTIES, I WILL NOT ACCEPT APPOINTMENT AS A MEDIATOR IN ANY PROCEEDING OR MATTER UNLESS AT THE TIME OF APPOINTMENT I WOULD QUALIFY AS A "DISINTERESTED PERSON" AS DEFINED BY 11 U.S.C. 101; I WOULD NOT BE DISQUALIFIED PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 455 IF I WERE A JUSTICE, JUDGE, OR MAGISTRATE; AND I KNEW OF NO OTHER REASON THAT WOULD DISQUALIFY ME AS A MEDIATOR.

13. I WILL IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE COURT, AND ANY PARTIES FOR WHOM I HAVE ACCEPTED APPOINTMENT AS A MEDIATOR, UPON LEARNING I AM NO LONGER QUALIFIED TO SERVE PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF G.O. 93-1, OR THIS APPLICATION (E.G., DUE TO AN ADVERSE CHANGE OF CIRCUMSTANCES RELATING TO POINTS 10 OR 12).

14. THIS APPLICATION IS ACCOMPANIED BY A DISKETTE (WHOSE SIZE IS COMPATIBLE WITH THE COURT'S CURRENT HARDWARE) WHICH CONTAINS A TRUE COPY OF THIS APPLICATION IN A VERSION OF SOFTWARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE COURT.

DATED: April 21,1994

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