## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

## CERTIFIED MEDIATOR INFORMATION UPDATE FORM

| Name: C. Allen Gibson, Jr.  |
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| Firm or Office Name: Womble Bond Dickinson (US) LLP   |
| Office Address: PO Box 999 Charleston, SC 29402   |
| Office Phone: 843-722-3400 Office Fax: 843-723-7398   |
| E-mail Address: allen.gibson@wbd-us.com   |
| Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:   |
| Columbia: X Charleston: X Greenville: X Florence: X   |
| Other: Anywhere in the state.   |
| Hourly Rate: \$575 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ None  How do you bill for travel? (explain): I charge for travel time, mileage and any lodging or meals.   |
| 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 Rule of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Coordinator 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 form to litigants and other members of the public. |
| Signature Certified Mediator  Date: 3/18/20   |
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Return completed update form to:
Billie Goodman, Coordinator
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program
United States District Court
901 Richland Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Email: Billie\_goodman@scd.uscourts.gov Facsimile: (803) 253-3591

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## **Application for Mediators**

| Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.            |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Name: C. Allen Gibson, Jr.  |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Firm or Office Name: Buist, Moore, Smythe & McGee, P.A.   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Office Address: 5 Exchange Street, P.O. Box 999, Charleston, South Carolina 29402                                     |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
|   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Office Phone: 843-722-3400  | Office Fax:               | 843-723-7398                         |  |  |  |
| ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina:   | 1982                      | I.D. No.: <u>2088</u>                |  |  |  |
| Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1982   |                           | Bar No.: <u>2467</u>                 |  |  |  |
| Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): <u>United States Court of</u> |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (1984)   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professiona   | al associations: <u>C</u> | hair Elect. ABA Forum on the         |  |  |  |
| Construction Industry; Member, American College of Const  | ruction Lawyers;          | Past President, SC Bar Young         |  |  |  |
| Lawyers Division: Member, Construction Panel, American  | Arbitration Assoc         | ciation                              |  |  |  |
| Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction whe  | ere admitted to pra       | actice law? X yes no                 |  |  |  |
| Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary pro   | oceeding in any ju        | urisdiction?ycsX_ no                 |  |  |  |
| Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to   | a bar for characte        | er or ethical reasons or disciplined |  |  |  |
| for professional misconduct?yesX_ no  |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| EDUCATION   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| Year law degree received1982 Law Sc   | hool <u>University o</u>  | of Virginia                          |  |  |  |
| Other professional degrees received (including year and sch   | ool) <u>None</u>          |                                      |  |  |  |
|   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
|   |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law pro-  | actice required)          |                                      |  |  |  |
| Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admir   | ssion to the bar, p       | particularly in the past five years: |  |  |  |
| I have been practicing law for more than seventeen years. N   | <u>Iv early experien</u>  | ce included a large volume of        |  |  |  |
| personal injury and product liability cases. In the past five years, my practice has been almost exclusively          |                           |                                      |  |  |  |
| related to the construction industry along with a variety of o  | ther commercial l         | itigation matters.                   |  |  |  |

| Percentage of practice in last 5 years  | ears representing plaintiff 20   | $_{\%}$ or defense $_{\ }$    | <u>30    </u> %   |                           |
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| Percentage of Federal or State co   | urt practice in last 5 years: Fed  | eral <u>50</u> %              | State <u>50</u> %   | <b>6</b>                  |
| Number of years engaged in activ  | ve litigation: <u>17 years</u>   | _                             |   |                           |
| EXPERTISE   |  |                               |   |                           |
| Include all substantive areas in wo<br>other areas in which you have explease identify and sub-areas of e | pertise. (Do not rank beyond "l  | " and "2.") After             | any category you  | have marked               |
| Admiralty Antitrust Contracts Environment   | Security or S  | Shareholders suits            |   |                           |
| Fraud or Civil RICO Insurance Miller Act Personal Injury Product Liability                                | Other Civil  | Civ<br>Rights                 | ongful Termination<br>of Rights in Emplo<br>pyrights<br>ent |                           |
| 1 Other (specify) Construct   | ion  | T <sub>1</sub> a              | demark  |                           |
| Publications: Numerous seminars  MEDIATION EXPERIENCE  Mediation experience (particular                   |  |                               |   | itrator for the           |
| American Arbitration Association  | n for construction and commerci  | al cases. I am als            | o affiliated with Al  | DR Network                |
| Inc. and have conducted numerous Other courts or organizations for  |  |                               | uction cases.   |                           |
| Number of mediations conducted  | Approximately 25 as a media  | tor                           |   | <del>.</del>              |
| MEDIATION TRAINING  |  |                               |   |                           |
| Course<br><u>Provider</u>   | Course<br>Content  | <u>Date</u>                   | Place   | No. of<br><u>Hours</u>    |
| American Arbitration Association American Arbitration Association American Arbitration Association        | Initial Arbitration Training Construction Mediation Construction Arbitration | Nov `90<br>Aug `93<br>May `97 | Charleston Atlanta Charleston                               | 2 days<br>2 days<br>1 day |

| Are you familiar with the sta  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
|  | tutes, rules and practice governing mediation conference  | es in the District of South Carolina?   |
| X yesno  |   |   |
| 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 availa   | ble to conduct mediation:   |   |
| _x Columbia  | <u>x</u> Charleston <u>x</u> Greenville   | x Florence  |
| Other  |   |   |
| Fees charged:  |   |   |
| Hourly Rate: \$200   | Minimum charge each mediation: \$None   |   |
| How do you bill for travel? (e   | xplain): Negotiable   |   |
| the Rules on Disciplinary P  | rocedure, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court  |   |
| the Rules on Disciplinary P<br>District Court; (2) Provide r<br>of any change in the above | rocedure, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court nediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Co facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties application to litigants and other members of the pul | Rules, and the Local Rules of the pourt; (3) Notify the Clerk of Court as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of |

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#### **Areas of Concentration:**

Commercial Litigation with a particular emphasis on construction related matters, including fidelity and surety law.

#### **Educational Background:**

University of Virginia School of Law
J.D. 1982
Order of the Coif
Lile Moot Court Competition Semi-Finalist
Trial Advocacy Program - Selected Participant

University of Virginia College of Arts & Sciences B.A. with High Distinction in Economics 1979 Echols Scholar

#### **Bar Admissions:**

South Carolina - 1982 U.S. District Court for the District of South Carolina - 1982 Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals - 1984

### **Bar Memberships:**

American Bar Association: Forum on the Construction Industry (Chair-Elect 2000-01; Member of Governing Committee, 1997 to 2000; Chair of Division 5, 1994 to 1997; Liaison to Governing Committee 1991-1993; Co-Chair of 1996 and 1997 Annual Meeting Programs); TIPS Fidelity & Surety Committee (State Chair of Young Lawyers Committee 1995 to 1998)

International Association of Defense Counsel: (Vice Chair, Fidelity and Surety Committee 1995 to 1999; Construction Law and Litigation Committee Member; Products Liability Committee Member)

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South Carolina Bar: (House of Delegates 1992 to present; Board of Governors 1990-1991; President Young Lawyers Division 1989-1990; Construction Law Committee member)

South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys Association

#### **Professional Activities:**

Fellow in the American College of Construction Lawyers

American Arbitration Association

Current Member of Panel of Arbitrators

Approved List of Mediators

Completed numerous AAA courses on arbitration and mediation

## **Community Organizations/Activities:**

City of Charleston Recreation Department 1991-present

Youth Baseball Coach

Youth Soccer Coach

Trident Technical College Foundation Board Member 1992-1995

Leadership Trident 1988-1989

Charles Webb Easter Seal Center former Board Member

#### Papers, Articles or Lectures:

Identifying and Managing Project Risk - January 1999 - South Carolina Bar Construction Law Section

Construction Contracting with Public Entities in South Carolina - December 1998 - Lorman Education Services

Advanced Project Delivery Systems - October 1998 - ABA Forum on Construction Industry

Construction Advocacy - April 1997 - ABA Forum on Construction Industry

Risk Management in Construction - October 1996 - Lorman Business Center

Construction Round-up - May 1996 - ABA Forum on Construction Industry

Trial Academy Instructor - July 1995 - International Association of Defense Counsel

South Carolina Law of Punitive Damages - 1993 - National Business Institute

Fundamentals of Construction Law - October 1993 - ABA Forum on Construction Industry

South Carolina Construction Law - November 1992 - National Business Institute Trial Techniques Seminar - October 1990 - Charleston County Bar Association

#### **Personal Information:**

Born May 1, 1957 - Greenville, SC

Married, three children

Employed at Buist, Moore, Smythe & McGee, P.A. since 1982, Principal since 1988

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