

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

CERTIFIED MEDIATOR INFORMATION UPDATE FORM

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Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

Columbia: X Charleston: X Greenville: X Florence: X

Other: _____

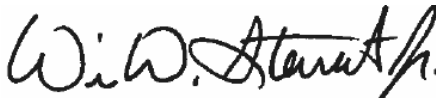
Fees charged: Admin \$250

Hourly Rate: \$ \$275 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 500

How do you bill for travel? (explain): .50 per mile from our Florence, SC office

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 Rules 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.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.



Signature _____
Certified Mediator

Date: 8/7/2020

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

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

Name: WILLIAM W. STEWART, JR.

Firm or Office Name: MILLBERG GORDON STEWART PLLC

Office Address: 1101 HAYNES STREET, SUITE 104, RALEIGH, NC 27604

Office Phone: (919) 836-0090 Office Fax: (919) 836-8027

E-mail Address: bstewart@mgsattorneys.com

ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 9/16/05 I.D. No.: 9648

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 5/24/04 Bar No.: 72870

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.):

North Carolina Bar: 8/26/94; Bar No. 21059

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations:

South Carolina Bar Dispute Resolution Section

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? yes no

Have you, within the last five years, been publicly reprimanded or publicly disciplined for professional conduct?
 yes no

Have you, within the last five years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons, or been
disbarred/suspended from the practice of law? yes no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received 1993 Law School Mississippi College School of Law

Other professional degrees received (including year and school):

Mississippi College. Bachelor of Science, 1987

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of five years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:

See attached CV

Millberg Gordon Stewart PLLC - 1994-Present

- Civil litigation practice involving wrongful death, tort, breach of contract, transportation, employment, OSHA whistleblower, insurance coverage, and product liability litigation. Work

includes representation of corporate defendants and individual plaintiffs.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 15 % or defense 85 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 30 % State 70 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 22 years

SUBSTANTIVE EXPERIENCE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have experience. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have experience. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of experience you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

- Admiralty
- Antitrust
- Contracts
- Environment
- Fraud or Civil RICO
- Insurance
- Miller Act
- Personal Injury (Premises Liability/Transportation)
- Product Liability
- Other (specify) FELA - Federal Employers' Liability Act
- Security or Shareholders suits
- Labor
- ERISA
- Wrongful Termination
- Civil Rights in Employment
- Other Civil Rights
- Copyrights
- Patent
- Trademark

Publications:

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): I am just starting my mediation practice.

Certified Circuit Court Mediator - 2/5/16

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator (please note any certifications): _____

NC Superior Court - Civil - 2016

NC Industrial Commission - 2016

Number of mediations conducted: 0

Number of other ADR sessions conducted: 0

MEDIATION AND OTHER ADR TRAINING

<u>Course Provider</u>	<u>Course Content</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>No. of Hours</u>
Carolina Dispute Settlement Services	Superior Court Mediation Training	12/7-11/2015	Raleigh, NC	40
SC Bar	SC Circuit Court & Family Court Arbitration Certified Training	2/18/16	On-Line	6

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing alternative dispute resolution in the District of South Carolina? X yes ___no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

See Attached CV

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

X Columbia X Charleston X Greenville X Florence

Other: _____

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$250.00 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ None

How do you bill for travel? (explain): All travel is billed from Florence, South Carolina at \$100 per hour plus mileage at the current IRS rate.

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I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature: Will W. Alton Date: 2/13/17
Applicant

Return completed application to:
Danny H. Mullis, Director
Alternative Dispute Resolution Program
United States District Court
Post Office Box 835
Charleston, SC 29402-0835

Reviewed: Danny H. Mullis Date: 2/17/17
ADR Program

Approved: William J. Murphy Date: 2/21/17
U.S. District Judge

William W. Stewart, Jr.

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PROFESSIONAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Partner

1994-Present

MILLBERG GORDON STEWART PLLC – Raleigh, NC and Florence, SC

- Practice Areas: Civil litigation practice involving wrongful death, tort, breach of contract, transportation, employment, OSHA whistleblower, insurance coverage, product liability litigation as well as work as a certified mediator. Work includes representation of corporate defendants and individual plaintiffs in a variety of matters.
- Mediation/Arbitration
 - Certified Civil Superior Court Mediator, North Carolina
 - Certified Industrial Commission Mediator, North Carolina
 - Certified Circuit Court Mediator, South Carolina
 - Certified Circuit Court Arbitrator, South Carolina

JUDICIAL CLERKSHIPS

THE HONORABLE FRANKLIN T. DUPREE, JR.

1993-1994

U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE, EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA – Raleigh, NC

EDUCATION

Doctor of Jurisprudence, with Distinction

1993

MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW – Jackson, MS

- Managing Editor, *Mississippi College Law Review*

Bachelor of Science

1987

MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE – Clinton, MS

- Major in Administration of Justice with minor in Business Administration

ADMISSIONS

- North Carolina (1994)
- South Carolina (2004)
- United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina
- United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina
- United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina
- United States District Court for the District of South Carolina

MEMBERSHIPS

- North Carolina and South Carolina Bar Associations
- Wake County Bar Association
- National Association of Railroad Trial Counsel
- American Short Line and Regional Railroad Association
- North Carolina Trucking Association
- Claims and Litigation Management Alliance
- Defense Research Institute
- North Carolina Association of Defense Attorneys