

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: \_\_\_\_\_ Charleston: X Greenville: \_\_\_\_\_ Florence: X

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Fees charged: \_\_\_\_\_

Hourly Rate: \$ 400 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 1,200

How do you bill for travel? (explain): negotiable

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: 08/13/2020

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](mailto: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: Bruce E. Miller

Firm or Office Name: Barnwell Whaley Patterson & Helms, LLC

Office Address: 134 Meeting Street, Suite 300, P. O. Drawer H  
Charleston, SC 29402

Office Phone: 803/577-7700 Office Fax: 803/577-7708

**ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS**

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 1984 I.D. No.: 3933

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1984 Bar No.: 3980

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): U. S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (1987).

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

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

Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary proceeding in any jurisdiction?  yes  no

Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons or disciplined for professional misconduct?  yes  no

**EDUCATION**

Year law degree received 1984 Law School Memphis State University

Other professional degrees received (including year and school) None

**LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)**

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:  
Prime emphasis in Employment, Construction, Professional Liability, Asbestos,  
and various other matters. I have been lead attorney in numerous trials, both  
Federal and State, and also ADR of cases as participant and mediator.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 10 % or defense 90 %

Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal 35 % State 65 %

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 11+

**EXPERTISE**

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty   | <input type="checkbox"/> Security or Shareholders suits          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Labor (Employment Law)       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 Contracts                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> ERISA                                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 Environment                                  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Wrongful Termination       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fraud or Civil RICO                                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Civil Rights in Employment |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Insurance (Asbestos)                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Civil Rights                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Miller Act  | <input type="checkbox"/> Copyrights                              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Personal Injury (medical/dental malpractice) | <input type="checkbox"/> Patent                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Product Liability   | <input type="checkbox"/> Trademark                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____                                     |  |

Publications: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**MEDIATION EXPERIENCE**

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): My mediation training was less than a year ago, therefore, my experience is still limited.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator: Charleston County Common Pleas.

Number of mediations conducted: Approximately 5

**MEDIATION TRAINING**

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
Academy of Dispute Resolution	Circuit Court	January 1995	Charleston	40

**OTHER INFORMATION**

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing mediation conferences in the District of South Carolina? XX yes \_\_\_ no

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 available to conduct mediation:

\_\_\_ Columbia      XX Charleston      \_\_\_ Greenville      \_\_\_ Florence  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$ 125.00      Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 250.00

How do you bill for travel? (explain): Negotiable

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Signature [Handwritten Signature] Date 1-4-96  
Applicant

Return completed application to:  
U.S. District Court  
Mediation  
1845 Assembly Street  
Columbia, SC 29201-2431

Approved: [Handwritten Signature: Dennis W. Shedd] Date 3/1/96  
U.S. District Judge

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United States District Court  
Office of the Clerk  
P. O. Box 835  
Charleston, SC 29402

**RE: Mediation**

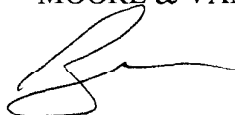
Dear Danny:

I received your letter of December 27, 1999, and hope all is going well with you in your new position. I am pleased to inform you that I have also taken a new position as a member with Moore & Van Allen, PLLC. Please update my address and telephone number.

I am willing to accept cases as a mediator. Although my primary focus is now employment law, I have much experience in construction, governmental liability, and professional negligence. Please note that my hourly rate is now \$190.00.

Respectfully,

MOORE & VAN ALLEN, PLLC



Bruce E. Miller

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