

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: _____

Other: _____

Fees charged: Hourly rate

Hourly Rate: \$ 400 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ N/A

How do you bill for travel? (explain): Half rate

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 s/Charles P. Summerall, IV Date: 8/7/2020
Certified Mediator

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

Name: Charles P. Summerall, IV, Esq.

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Office Address: 5 Exchange Street, P.O. Box 999, Charleston, SC 29402

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1985

Date admitted to the Bar of the United States District Court of the District of South Carolina: 1986

Other court or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission): Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals (1986); US Supreme Court (1990)

EDUCATION

Year law degree received: 1985 Law School: U.S.C.

Other professional degrees received (including year and school): B.A. English, Univ. Of Virginia -1982

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:
I am certified as a bankruptcy specialist by the SC Supreme Court. My practice is 60% bankruptcy and 40% business litigation in federal and state courts. I have broad experience in breach of contract matters in addition to cases relating to creditor -debtor relationships.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 50% or defense 50%

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 10

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).

- Admiralty
- Antitrust
- 1 Contracts
- Environment
- 2 Fraud or Civil RICO
- Insurance
- Miller Act
- Personal Injury
- Product Liability
- Other (specify) 1 - Business litigation and bankruptcy
- 2 Security or Shareholders suits
- Labor
- ERISA
- Wrongful Termination
- Civil Rights in Employment
- Other Civil Rights
- Copyrights
- Patent
- Trademark

Publications: Last 2 years only: "Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases: Learning' to Jive with Section 365", Fifth Annual SC Banker. Law Assoc. Conv. And Seminar, 1995; "Basic Collection Practice in South Carolina", SC Bankers Assoc., 1994; "Ethics in the Banker. Court: Selected Issues", SC Bar Meeting, Corporate and Securities Section, 1994.

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): 2 cases involving complex creditor - debtor relationships, including allegations of fraud, civil conspiracy, etc.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator: SC Circuit Court

Number of mediations conducted:

MEDIATION TRAINING

<u>Course Provider</u>	<u>Course Content</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>No. of Hours</u>
DMI		5/94	Charleston, SC	40

OTHER INFORMATION

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered: "AV" rating from Martindale - Hubbell since 1992 - numerous seminar presentations in areas of bankruptcy and collection law.

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

- X Columbia
- X Charleston
- _ Greenville
- X Florence

Other Coastal Counties

Fees charged: _

Hourly Rate: \$ 150 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 750

How do you bill for travel? (explain): 1/2 rate.