The ADR Section, with the approval of the MCBA Board of Directors, passed minimum requirements for the mediation and arbitration panels. Requirements are as follows:

**MEDIATION**
- Have completed at least 40 hours of mediation training and within the last five years have completed at least ten (10) mediations serving as a mediator of which one may have been as a co-mediator or a member of a court-sponsored mandatory settlement conference; and
- Commit to earning ten (10) CLE units in Alternative Dispute Resolution over the next three years.

**ARBITRATION**
- Admitted to the practice of law for at least ten years or have ten years of experience in the subject area/field in which you propose to arbitrate and have served as an arbitrator in at least five arbitrations in the last three years.

**ALL ADR PANELS** (as required by Calif. Rules of Court, Rule 10.781)
- Sign a certificate agreeing to comply with all applicable rules of court and ethical requirements; and
- Agree to serve as an ADR neutral on a pro bono or modest-means basis in at least one case per year, not to exceed eight hours, if requested by the court.
PAST YEAR’S SERVICE AS AN ADR NEUTRAL
For administrative purposes, please provide below the date, name, and case number of at least one case on which you served during the past 12 months, if any, at the request of the Marin County Superior Court as an ADR neutral, either as a mediator, an arbitrator, or a settlement conference panelist, on a pro bono or modest-means basis.

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In addition to the Agreement to Abide, please sign one or both of the following certifications, depending on which panel(s) you would like to serve.

- Please sign below to certify that you meet the requirements for the [ ] Mediation Panel
- Please sign below to certify that you meet the requirements for the [ ] Arbitration Panel

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Please sign below to certify that you agree to serve as an ADR neutral on a pro bono or modest-means basis in at least one case per year, if requested by the Marin County Superior Court

Signature

Date: [Click here to enter text.]
ADR Panelists must be active members of the Marin County Bar Association. Please contact the MCBA office (info@marinbar.org; 415-499-1314) if you are unsure of your membership status.

Enclose with the Renewal Application and Agreement a check for payment:

☐ $100 for Marin County Bar Association member who is a member of ADR Section
☐ $145 for Marin County Bar Association member who is not a member of the ADR Section (you will be added to ADR Section)
☐ $345 to become an active Marin County Bar Association member and to be added to the ADR Section.

Please make check payable to: “MCBA”

Marin County Bar Association
Attn: ADR Panel Application
101 Lucas Valley Road, Ste. 326
San Rafael, CA 94903

Questions? Email mwong@marinbar.org or call 415-499-1314.
Agreement to Abide by California Rules of Court Regarding Mediator Standards of Conduct

I, ____________________________, confirm that I have reviewed the California Rules of Court Rules 3.850-3.860 pertaining to mediator standards of conduct in court-connected mediation programs. I will abide by these guidelines in all mediations I conduct for Marin County Superior Court cases. Furthermore, I understand that compliance with these standards of conduct is a requirement for all panelists on the Marin County Bar Association Mediation Panel.

Signature

Date: ________________________________