

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

APPLICATION FOR RECERTIFICATION TO CONDUCT DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURT MEDIATIONS PURSUANT TO G.S. 7A-38.3D

G.S. 7A-38.3D; Rules of Mediation for
Matters in District Criminal Court

Name And Address Of Applicant

Email Address

Telephone No.

Fax No.

INSTRUCTIONS: An applicant for recertification must complete Sections I, II, and III of this application and his/her sponsoring community mediation center must complete Section IV.

I apply for recertification to conduct District Criminal Court Mediations pursuant to G.S. 7A-38.3D and the Supreme Court of North Carolina's Rules of Mediation for Matters in District Criminal Court.

SECTION I. REQUIREMENTS FOR RECERTIFICATION

A. Affiliation (Rule 7(a)(1))

- ☐ At the time of this recertification application, I serve on the staff of or am a volunteer with the community mediation center named below, which is established pursuant to G.S. 7A-38.5.

Name And Address Of Center

B. Compliance (Rule 7(a)(6))

Initial I agree to comply with all requirements of the Dispute Resolution Commission for continuing mediator education, as may be adopted in the future by the Commission.

SECTION II. CHARACTER

Please answer all questions in Section II.

A. Criminal Convictions/Disciplinary Actions (Rule 7(a)(4))

1. Since your last certification, have you been convicted of a crime? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please explain.

2. Since your last certification, have you been disciplined by any professional licensing board or agency (e.g., the State Bar or Board of Psychologists), or are you currently being investigated? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please explain and identify the body that is investigating you or has disciplined you.

3. Since your last certification, have you been sanctioned by a judge? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please explain and identify the judge.

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4. Since your last certification, have any civil judgments been taken against you? Have any tax liens been filed against you? Have you filed for bankruptcy? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please explain.

5. Since your last certification, have you served as a neutral (e.g., mediator, neutral evaluator, or arbitrator) in any other state? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If "yes," have you been disciplined in connection with that service (e.g., decertified, taken off a register, or placed on probation)? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please explain, identify the body that disciplined you, and provide a telephone number.

6. Since your last certification, have you been asked to terminate your affiliation, your employment, or your service as a volunteer, with any community mediation centers operating in North Carolina? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes," please identify the center, state the year your employment or volunteer service was terminated, and explain why.

B. Responsibility for Ongoing Reporting of Character Information (Rule 7(a)(4))

Once recertified, I agree to report to the Dispute Resolution Commission as soon as I have notice of any criminal convictions, disbarments, other disciplinary complaints or actions, and any judicial sanctions, of which I am the subject.

C. Release

By signing the release below, I give the Dispute Resolution Commission my permission to contact any judge, agency, or community mediation center identified in my responses to subsections 1-6 above, and I give permission for the entity contacted to speak with or release information to the Commission regarding the matters I reported in 1-6 above.

Date	Signature Of Applicant Authorizing Release Of Information To The Commission
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SECTION III. COMMITMENT TO SERVE

I agree to commit to serve the district criminal courts of North Carolina as a mediator under the direct supervision of a community mediation center established under G.S. 7A-38.5 for at least two years from the date of my recertification (Rule 7(a)(5)).

SECTION IV. CENTER RECOMMENDATION

This portion of the recertification application is to be completed by staff of the community mediation center with which the applicant is currently affiliated.

☐ This applicant is currently affiliated as a staff member or as a volunteer with the community mediation center identified in Section I.A of this recertification application. The center endorses this applicant and affirms that this applicant possesses the education, training, experience, skills and good character necessary to conduct district criminal court mediations.

Date	Name Of Center Director Or His/Her Designee	Signature Of Center Director Or His/Her Designee
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RECERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned applicant, certify that: I have given true, accurate, and complete information on this application to the best of my knowledge; I am of good moral character; I will adhere to all ethical rules and other rules adopted by the NC Dispute Resolution Commission, and all rules adopted by the Supreme Court of North Carolina for mediation of district criminal court cases.

Date	Signature Of Applicant
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FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY

Pursuant to G.S. 7A-38.3D and the Supreme Court of North Carolina's Rules Implementing Mediation in Matters Pending in District Criminal Court, you are recertified as a mediator to conduct mediations of district criminal court matters.

Date	Name (type or print)	Signature
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