



Twentieth Judicial Circuit Amendment Application for the Chief Judge's Registry of Attorneys for Court Appointment



Name/Bar#: _____

New Address/Email: _____

New Phone/Fax/Cell: _____

Additions Or Removals From Any Category Or County Requires The Submission Of An Amended Application To Be Considered By The Chief Judge.

I. Please read, complete, and initial the following:

- I remain a member in good standing with the Florida Bar.
- I have maintained my malpractice insurance.
- I have a current contract with the Justice Administrative Commission.

II. Indicate the Categories and Locations that you Agree to be Appointed:

	Char	Collier	Glades	Hendry	Lee
1) Misdemeanor, Criminal Traffic, Violation of Probation - Misdemeanor (includes VOCC), Violation of Probation - Misdemeanor (includes VOCC)(CT), Contempt Proceedings, and Extradition cases					
2) Juvenile Delinquency - 1st Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - 2nd Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - 3rd Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - Felony Life, Juvenile Delinquency - Misdemeanor and Violation of Probation- Juvenile Delinquency (includes VOCC)					
3) Felony - 3rd Degree, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)					
4) Felony - 2nd Degree, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)					
5) Felony - Punishable by Life, Felony - Punishable by Life - RICO, Felony - 1st Degree, Felony - 1st Degree - RICO, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)					
6) 1st Degree Murder, Capital Sexual Battery, Capital (Non-Death other than Capital Sexual Battery) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)					
7) Juvenile Delinquency Appeals, Misdemeanor Appeals and Misdemeanor Appeals (CT)					
8) Felony Appeals					
9) Capital Appeals					
10) Dependency and CINS/FINS - Ch. 984, F.S.					
11) Termination of Parental Rights - Ch 39, F.S. and TPR (Ch. 63, F.S.)					
12) Dependency Appeals and TPR Appeals					
13) Guardianship - Ch. 744, F.S., Guardianship - Emergency Ch. 744, F.S., Baker/Mental Health - Ch. 394, F.S., Marchman Act/Substance Abuse - Ch. 397, F.S., Emancipation - Section 743.015, F.S., Parental Notification of Abortion Act, Adult Protective Services - Ch. 415, F.S., Developmentally Disabled Adult - Ch 393, F.S., Admission of Inmate to Mental Health Facility, Medical Procedures- Section 394.459(3), F.S., Tuberculosis - Ch. 392, F.S., STD - Ch. 384 F.S., and Sexual Violent Predator					
14) Civil Appeals and Sexual Violent Predator Appeals					
15) Children with Certain Special Needs Pursuant to s. 39.01305, F.S.					

III. Qualifications - please read and initial the requirements relevant to the categories in which you seek appointment:

- 1) Misdemeanor, Criminal Traffic, Violation of Probation - Misdemeanor (includes VOCC), Violation of Probation - Misdemeanor (includes VOCC)(CT), Contempt Proceedings, and Extradition cases**

I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal law.

I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least one year and an experienced and active trial practitioner with no fewer than three state or federal jury or non-jury trials.
- 2) Criminal Juvenile Delinquency - 1st Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - 2nd Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - 3rd Degree Felony, Juvenile Delinquency - Felony Life, Juvenile Delinquency - Misdemeanor and Violation of Probation- Juvenile Delinquency (includes VOCC)**

I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal law.

I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least one year and an experienced and active trial practitioner with no fewer than three delinquency dispositions or three state or federal jury or non-jury trials.
- 3) Felony - 3rd Degree, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)**

I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal law.

I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least two years and an experienced and active trial practitioner with no fewer than three state or federal jury trials.

- 4) **Felony - 2nd Degree, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)**
 I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal law.
 I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least two years and an experienced and active trial practitioner with no fewer than seven state or federal jury trials.
- 5) **Felony - Punishable by Life, Felony - Punishable by Life - RICO, Felony - 1st Degree, Felony - 1st Degree - RICO, Violation of Probation - Felony (includes VOCC) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)**
 I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal law.
 I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least five years and an experienced and active trial practitioner with no fewer than ten state or federal jury trials.
- 6) **1st Degree Murder, Capital Sexual Battery, Capital (Non-Death other than Capital Sexual Battery) and Rules 3.850 and 3.800 at trial and appellate level (also includes postconviction petitions for habeas corpus and petitions for belated appeal)**
 I am seeking to serve as Lead Counsel and meet the requirements of Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.112(f)
 I am seeking to serve as Co-counsel and meet the requirements of Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.112(g)
- 7) **Juvenile Delinquency Appeals, Misdemeanor Appeals and Misdemeanor Appeals (CT)**
 I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal and/or appellate law.
 I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least two years and an experienced and active trial or appellate practitioner in the field of criminal law or have prior experience in the appeal of at least three criminal cases.
- 8) **Felony Appeals**
 I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to criminal and/or appellate law.
 I have been a member of The Florida Bar for at least three years and an experienced and active practitioner in the field of appellate criminal law or have experience in the appeal of at least five criminal cases.
- 9) **Capital Appeals**
 I meet the requirements of Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.112(h).
- 10) **Dependency and CINS/FINS - Ch. 984, F.S.**
 I have previously handled 10 dependency cases from arraignment to closure.
- 11) **Termination of Parental Rights - Ch 39, F.S. and TPR (Ch. 63, F.S.)**
 I have at least three years experience in dependency law and have been lead counsel in a minimum of six contested dependency trials and three contested termination of parental rights trials.
- 12) **Dependency Appeals and TPR Appeals**
 I have at least three years experience in dependency or appellate law and have been lead counsel in a minimum of three contested dependency trials and three contested termination of parental right trials or demonstrate knowledge through experience in the practice of family law.
- 13) **Guardianship - Ch. 744, F.S., Guardianship - Emergency Ch. 744, F.S., Baker/Mental Health - Ch. 394, F.S., Marchman Act/Substance Abuse - Ch. 397, F.S., Emancipation - Section 743.015, F.S., Parental Notification of Abortion Act, Adult Protective Services - Ch. 415, F.S., Developmentally Disabled Adult - Ch 393, F.S., Admission of Inmate to Mental Health Facility, Medical Procedures- Section 394.459(3), F.S., Tuberculosis - Ch. 392, F.S., STD - Ch. 384 F.S., and Sexual Violent Predator**
 I have been an experienced and active trial practitioner who has represented clients in no fewer than fifteen guardianship proceedings, and attend annually at least three hours of continuing legal education in guardianship law.
- 14) **Civil Appeals and Sexual Violent Predator Appeals**
 I have at least three years experience in guardianship or appellate law and have been an experienced and active appellate practitioner who has represented clients in no fewer than five appeals, and annually attend at least three hours of continuing education in guardianship law.
- 15) **Children with Certain Special Needs Pursuant to s. 39.01305, F.S.**
 I have attended within the previous 12 months a minimum of ten hours of Florida Bar approved continuing legal education devoted to representation of children with special needs or disabilities and/or ethics related to the representation of children.
 I have reviewed the Florida Guidelines for Practice for Lawyers Who Represent Children in Abuse and Neglect Cases.
 I have previously handled 10 dependency cases from arraignment to closure.

IV. Declaration:

I hereby apply to have my name placed on the registry of court-appointed attorneys. I will accept appointments as set forth above, and I hereby declare that I meet the minimum Qualifications for Court-Appointed Attorneys as adopted by the Chief Judge for the Twentieth Judicial Circuit. I am aware that any omissions, falsifications, misstatements, or misrepresentations above may disqualify me from the registry, and may be grounds for removal from the registry at a later date. I understand that submitted applications become a public record. Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing application and that the facts stated in it are true.

 Signature

Date: _____

Submit original to: Office of the Chief Judge
 1700 Monroe Street
 Fort Myers, Florida 33901

And, Fax or E-mail to: Attn: Court Innovations and Program Analysis Dept. -Fax: 239-533-1796; E-mail: efishbeck@ca.cjis20.org

For use by Twentieth Judicial Circuit:

Date Reviewed: _____
 Revised - 8/5/2015

 Approved to add to registry
 Applicant fails to meet requirements