

U.S. District Court
District of Rhode Island

PETITION FOR ADMISSION
Pursuant to LR Gen 202(a)(2)(B)

I, _____ hereby move for admission to the U.S. District Court for the District of Rhode Island without the requirement of taking the course of instruction on Federal Practice and Procedure. In support of this petition, I submit the within application and affidavit.

Petitioner

Rhode Island State Bar Number

Telephone

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE APPLICANT

All statements are to be based on your own knowledge, unless the statement is expressly qualified to show the source of your information. Answer all questions and make your answers as specific as possible. If the space for any answer is insufficient, you may complete your answer on a separate attached sheet. Please attach a Certificate of Good Standing from the Supreme Court of Rhode Island and also include a Certificate of Good Standing from the U.S. District Court where you are a member.

APPLICANT'S QUESTIONNAIRE AND AFFIDAVIT

1. State:

a. Full name _____

b. Have you ever been known by any other name or surname?
Yes or No (circle one)

c. Present Mailing Address:

Firm Name

Street Address

City

State and Zip Code

d. E-Mail Address: _____

e. Date of Birth _____ Birthplace _____
City and State

f. Are you a citizen of the United States?
Yes or No (circle one)

If claiming citizenship other than by birth in the United States, state the basis of such claim and exhibit proof. If naturalized, state the date and name and location of the Court with the number of Certificate and the Petition number.

2. Law Study:

a. Name of the law school from which you graduated:

b. Degree and year granted: _____

3. Legal Employment History:

State the name, address, duties, and period of each employment starting with the most recent:

4. Name all jurisdictions and courts in which you have been admitted to practice law. Give dates of admission to practice:

_____ _____
_____ _____
_____ _____

5. Describe your litigation experience in general, and include in particular, your experience trying cases in federal district courts:

6. Have you ever appeared *pro hac vice* in this Court?
Yes or No (circle one)

If yes, list the dates, case names and names of the presiding judges:

7. Have you been disbarred, suspended from practice, reprimanded, censured or otherwise disciplined or disqualified as an attorney or a member of any profession or organization or holder of any office, public or private; or have any complaints or charges, formal or informal, ever been made or filed or proceedings instituted against you?
Yes or No (circle one)

If yes, state the dates, the facts, the disposition of each matter, and the name and address of the authority in possession of the record thereof.

8. Is there any other incident in your career having a bearing upon your character or fitness for admission to the bar?
Yes or No (circle one)

If yes, give full details.

9. Explain your reasons for seeking admission and the basis for seeking a waiver from completing the course of instruction.

10. Have you read and are you familiar with the Local Rules of this District?
Yes or No (circle one)

I have read the foregoing application for admission to the Rhode Island Federal Bar and have answered all questions fully and frankly. The answers are complete and are true of my own knowledge.

State of Rhode Island
County of

Signature of Applicant

Rhode Island State Bar Number

Date