

Disclosure of Conduct: Specialist Certification and Recertification

Lawyer Full Name MN License No. Disclosure Date

Board Certified Criminal Law Specialists and Criminal Law Specialist Certification Applicants have an obligation to disclose and report the following matters at any time during the certification period or certification application process:

- Any conviction of a crime, excluding misdemeanor traffic offenses, regardless of whether the conviction was the result of a plea of guilty or *nolo contendere*, or of a verdict after a trial, and whether it resulted in imprisonment, probation, fine, or suspension of sentence;
- a Finding of Ineffective Assistance of Counsel or a Finding of Prosecutorial Misconduct entered by a District or Appellate Court;
- any formal admonishment by any Court;
- any proceeding which resulted in the Applicant or Specialist being disbarred, suspended, publicly reprimanded, sanctioned or otherwise subjected to public discipline by any disciplinary board in any jurisdiction in which an Applicant or Specialist has an active license.

All such matters must be reported to the MSBA Certified Legal Specialists Manager within thirty (30) days after they are imposed or entered. Failure to do so may be grounds for denial of certification or recertification or decertification.

I am filing this Disclosure of Conduct form in conjunction with:

- Initial Application Annual Audit Recertification Other: _____

INSTRUCTIONS

Complete the appropriate section(s). Provide any explanation that you wish to be considered in the review of the matter. Use additional sheets if necessary. **You must provide copies** of all relevant documents, including orders and pleadings, judgments, disciplinary findings, or other documents pertaining to this disclosure.

CRIMINAL CONVICTION

Crime	Conviction Date	Judge/Court	Disposition

FINDING OF INEFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL

Case	Date of Finding	Judge/Court	Description

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FINDING OF PROSECUTORIAL MISCONDUCT

Case	Date of Finding	Judge/Court	Description

FORMAL JUDICIAL ADMONISHMENT

Case, if applicable	Date	Judge/Court	Description

DISCIPLINE

Disciplinary Action Title	Date Sanction Imposed and/or Terminated	Description of Charge

Mail this form along with all requested documents to the following address:

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Certified ▲ Specialist

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