

# SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**THE SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS** has been formed to protect and insure, by rule of law, those individual rights guaranteed by the South Carolina and Federal Constitutions in Criminal cases; to promote the proper administration of criminal justice and to foster, maintain and encourage the integrity, independence and expertise of defense lawyers in criminal cases.

**SCACDL** is an organization solely for criminal defense lawyers providing a specialized forum to meet, debate, and speak out on issues of importance to us and our clients.

To qualify for membership you must be a member of the South Carolina State Bar and must be actively engaged in the defense of criminal cases. Full and part-time prosecutors, full-time Judicial Officers or representatives of a law enforcement agency are ineligible for membership.

Please complete the following, where applicable, and return with your annual dues.

- ( ) \$180.00 **New Lawyers** *first 3 years in practice*  
( ) \$180.00 **Associate Member**  
( ) \$150.00 **Assistant Public Defenders**  
( ) \$330.00 **Chief Public Defenders**  
( ) \$330.00 **Regular Members**  
( ) \$600.00 **Sustaining Members** \*\*  
( ) \$1,100.00 **Benefactor Members**\*\*  
\*\*receives special recognition

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ \*Email \_\_\_\_\_

\*General Membership please check the box if you would like your e-mail added to the Listserv .

Year admitted to S.C. Bar \_\_\_\_\_ SC Bar Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my payment for the membership indicated: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Associate Membership in the Association shall be available to persons of integrity and good moral character who are not actively engaged in the defense of criminal cases, but whose duties and responsibilities are a part of, or contribute to, the defense of criminal cases. There shall be included in this Membership the following: members of the judiciary, and non-lawyers who support the goals and objectives of the Association. An Associate Member shall pay dues in an amount established by the Board of Directors. An Associate Member may not vote in any general membership meeting, or in any general membership election. *An Associate Member shall not have access to the Listserv.*

(please mail to) **SCACDL**, PO Box 8353, Columbia, SC 29202

#### **General Membership Certification** (please sign here)

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that I support the purposes of the South Carolina Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers; that I am committed to the fair administration of criminal justice and the defense of individuals accused of crime; that I am **NOT** a full or part-time prosecutor or full-time member of the Judiciary; and that I am actively engaged in the defense of criminal cases.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Associate Membership Certification** (please sign here)

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that I am a person of good moral character and am not actively engaged in the defense of criminal cases, but have duties and responsibilities that are a part of, or contribute to the defense of criminal cases. I am **NOT** a full or part time prosecutor or a representative of any law enforcement agency.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_