

Notice to Out-of-State Counsel Licensed in New Jersey

With an initial mass tort pleading **and every year thereafter** as long as the case in which you are involved is pending, a certification (in the form attached) must be filed with the court indicating: (1) that you are an attorney-at-law holding a plenary license to practice in the State of New Jersey; (2) the address of your *bona fide* out-of-state office; (3) that pursuant to *Rules* 1:20-1(b), 1:28-2 and 1:28B-1(e), all annual fees have been paid to the New Jersey Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection and all required registration statements have been filed; (4) that in accordance with *Rule* 1:21-1(a), a power of attorney has been filed designating the Clerk of the Supreme Court as agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions, including disciplinary actions; and (5) that there are no disciplinary proceedings affecting your standing as a member of the bar in New Jersey or in any other jurisdiction.

The following resources may be useful:

Clerk of the Supreme Court of New Jersey
(Supreme Court Clerk designation form)
P.O. Box 970
Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex
25 W. Market St., 8th Floor, North Wing
Trenton, NJ 08625-0970
Telephone Number: (609) 292-4837

New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection
(annual assessment and registration)
P.O. Box 961
Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex
25 W. Market St., 5th Floor, North Wing
Trenton, NJ 08625-0961
Telephone Number: (609) 292-8079

Clerk of the Superior Court
(civil practice attorney database)
P.O. Box 971
Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex
25 W. Market St., 6th Floor, North Wing
Trenton, NJ 08625-0971
Telephone Number: (609) 943-5155.

[N. J. Licensed Attorneys Maintaining out-of-state *Bona Fide* Offices]

Certification

_____, hereby certifies as follows:

1. I am an attorney at law of the State of New Jersey and my bona fide office is located at
2. I have paid my annual fee to the New Jersey Lawyer's Fund for Client Protections and have filed my annual registration statements pursuant to *Rules* 1:20-1(b), 1:28-2, 1:28B-1(e).
3. In accordance with *Rule* 1:21-1(a), I have filed a power of attorney designating the Clerk of the Supreme Court as agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions, including disciplinary actions which may involve me or name me as a defendant.
4. There are no disciplinary actions affecting my standing as a member of the bar in New Jersey or in any other jurisdiction.

I certify that the foregoing statements are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Date

Signature

Please Print Name