

**2021 RENEWAL FORM (1/1/21 through 12/31/21)**  
**LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE – ROCKLAND COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**  
337 North Main Street, Suite #1, New City, New York 10956

For attorneys who have been practicing for more than 5 years, the cost is **\$100.00 to select 3 panels.** Or for those attorneys who have been practicing less than five years, the cost is **\$75.00 to select 3 panels.** If you wish to belong to more than 3 panels, an additional fee of \$20 per panel is required. (Limit 5 panels for a total of 8). Make check payable to the Rockland County Bar Association.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
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*Professional Liability Insurance: COPY OF THE FIRST PAGE OF POLICY MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS REGISTRATION FORM. I agree that I will maintain coverage during the period when I am a member of the Lawyers Referral Plan.*

Carrier: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Policy: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTIONS: CIRCLE 3 AREAS OF LAW; PLACE AN “X” NEXT TO SUBCATEGORIES FOR SELECTED REFERRALS.** If you wish to be referred to any other panel in addition to the three you selected, there is an additional fee of \$20 for each panel that you select over three panels. **NEW:** the Hospice/End-of-Life Panel is FREE (no additional cost).

**BANKRUPTCY** \_\_\_\_\_ **CRIMINAL** \_\_\_\_\_ **ENTERTAINMENT LAW** \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) personal ( ) corporation ( ) DMV hearings

**COMMERCIAL LAW** \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) DUI/DWI ( ) drugs ( ) felony ( ) misdemeanor **ENVIRONMENTAL LAW** \_\_\_\_\_

( ) license suspension ( ) asbestos/lead poisoning  
( ) construction contracts ( ) parole matters/violations ( ) SEQRA matters  
( ) creditor's rights & collections ( ) probation violation ( ) ISHA requirements  
( ) general contracts ( ) sex offenders registration act ( ) petroleum spills  
( ) liquor license ( ) traffic violation ( ) toxic tort litigation  
( ) water law/wet lands

**COMMERCIAL/CORPORATE LITIGATION** \_\_\_\_\_ **CRIMINAL APPEALS** \_\_\_\_\_ **ESTATE OF PROBATE WILL /ADMIN. OF ESTATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSTITUTIONAL /HUMAN RIGHTS** \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) representing student ( ) complex wills and trusts  
( ) civil rights ( ) representing teachers ( ) estate, trust & tax planning  
( ) discrimination (non employment) ( ) special education ( ) power of attorney, health care proxies and living wills

**CONSUMER LAW** \_\_\_\_\_ **ELDER LAW** \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) probate/Admin. Matters  
( ) credit ( ) internet fraud ( ) guardianships (Article 81) ( ) will drafting  
( ) small claims court ( ) medicaid/medicare/SSI ( ) Medicaid trusts & special needs ( ) will contests

**CORPORATE LAW** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMPLOYMENT** \_\_\_\_\_ **FAMILY LAW** \_\_\_\_\_

( ) adoption  
( ) business formation ( ) mediation ( ) adoption international  
( ) corporations/partnerships ( ) employment/severance contracts ( ) abuse/neglect  
( ) dissolution of business ( ) discrimination: harassment ( ) co-habitation agreement  
( ) franchises /sexual harassment ( ) custody  
( ) limited liability entities ( ) government agencies/unions ( ) divorce/separation  
( ) not for profit ( ) ERISA ( ) domestic violence  
( ) purchase/sale of business ( ) executive compensation agreement ( ) guardianship  
( ) sale of professional practice ( ) retirement/pensions/benefits ( ) grandparent's rights  
( ) termination/suspension: representing employer ( ) mediation ( ) name change  
( ) termination/suspension: representing employee ( ) paternity  
( ) PINS  
( ) pre-nuptials  
( ) support/modification

HOSPICE/END-OF-LIFE \_\_\_\_  
(NEW- see information on Plan  
Description/Application)

IMMIGRATION \_\_\_\_

INSURANCE LAW \_\_\_\_  
( ) automobile  
( ) long term care insurance  
( ) private long term disability

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY  
LAW \_\_\_\_  
( ) computer law ( ) e-mail  
( ) internet/website  
( ) patent ( ) trademark /copyright  
( ) unfair competition/trade secrets

LANDLORD/TENANT  
( ) commercial  
( ) represent landlords  
( ) represent tenants  
( ) represent Section 8

LEGAL MALPRACTICE \_\_\_\_  
( ) representing client  
( ) representing lawyer

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE \_\_\_\_  
( ) dentists ( ) HMOs  
( ) hospitals ( ) physicians  
( ) psychiatrists ( ) inmates  
( ) health care professionals  
( ) veterans ( ) mentally challenged

MILITARY LAW \_\_\_\_  
( ) active ( ) reserves ( ) veterans

PERSONAL INJURY \_\_\_\_  
( ) assault and battery  
( ) crime victims  
( ) dram shop litigation  
( ) libel/slander/invasions of privacy  
( ) motor vehicle ( ) no fault ins.  
( ) premises liability  
( ) product liability  
( ) slip and fall ( ) wrongful death

REAL PROPERTY LAW \_\_\_\_  
( ) commercial  
( ) commercial litigation  
( ) condominiums & co-ops

REAL PROPERTY (continued)  
( ) construction agreements  
( ) foreclosure  
( ) residential closing/leasing  
( ) tax certorari  
( ) title and boundary

\*SOCIAL SECURITY \_\_\_\_

\* WORKERS COMP. \_\_\_\_  
( ) appeals  
( ) employer defense  
( ) federal/NY State

ZONING AND LAND USE  
( ) zoning

OTHER LANGUAGES:

OTHER STATES ADMITTED TO  
PRACTICE:

*\* An initial consultation fee of \$50 may not be charged for Social Security, Unemployment and Workers Compensation claim matters.*

**A panel attorney is not permitted to refer a matter referred by the Referral Service to any other attorney. Any referral that was not accepted by the panel attorney must be referred back to the Referral Service. Should a panel attorney need to retain outside counsel on a referred case, any fees generated by said outside counsel are to be calculated as part of the aggregate legal fees for that case and as such, are subject to the same financial arrangement as those of the LRS panel attorney. Additionally, attorneys retained as outside counsel must meet the requisite minimum criteria as set forth your LRS Application for an eligible panel attorney.**

The first one-half hour consultation fee of \$50.00 paid by the referred client to the panel attorney, shall be forwarded to the Rockland County Bar Association, except for any matter where the fee is statutorily regulated.\*\* The first \$500 of the aggregate fee received by an attorney on a referred matter shall be retained by the panel attorney and the panel attorney is to remit to the Referral Service 10% of the excess over \$500 of the aggregate fee received on the matter.

A Referral Confirmation Report will be forwarded, from the Referral Service to the panel attorney, by the following business day after the referral is made. The panel attorney will complete and return the report as soon as practicable, however, not more than thirty (30) days after receipt, but not before seven (7) days after receipt. If there is not reply within the specified time, the staff will request once, by writing, the status of the specific open case(s).

Once the Referral Service is notified that the panel attorney has been retained for further legal services, the panel attorney must continue to keep the Referral Service advised of the status of the case, timely respond to all inquiries and remit to the Referral Service the fee(s) due from any fee(s) collected.