

JUDICIAL CANDIDATE APPLICATION FORM

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION

FULL NAME: _____

PREFERRED PRONOUN: _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER & AREA CODE: (____) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Date(s) and Jurisdiction of call(s) to bar: _____

Languages spoken or written other than English:
(Indicate level of proficiency – read, write, speak)

Current Specialty or Specialties of Law, if any: _____

Do you identify as any of the following:

Indigenous person:

Inuit

Métis

Yukon First Nation

First Nation: _____

Person from any historically under-represented group - please specify:

I, _____, hereby authorize the Yukon Judicial Council to make inquiries with respect to my suitability and qualifications for judicial appointment from any source at the appropriate stage of the Council's deliberations.

Signature

Date

2. PROFESSIONAL AND EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE:

In chronological order, give a brief account of each position you have held beginning with your pre-law work experience.

(a) Pre-law and Non-Legal Experience:

For each position indicate the years you held it and describe briefly the general nature of the work you did and the experience you gained.

(b) Legal Career Experience:

For each position indicate the years you held it and describe briefly the nature of the work you did and the experience you gained.

(c) Experience working with First Nation or other Indigenous communities:

3. COMMUNITY AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES:

THE COUNCIL IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN ACTIVITIES WHICH, IN YOUR VIEW, SHED LIGHT ON YOUR SUITABILITY FOR A JUDICIAL APPOINTMENT. Describe briefly your involvement, and the length of time of such involvement in any community or civic activities.

4. PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

Provide information on your membership in any professional associations, including those associated with the legal profession. Advise of those in which you have been more than a fee-paying member (e.g. serving on committees, holding an executive position).

5. PUBLICATIONS:

(a) The publications you list here need not be confined to writings on legal topics.

(b) If you have, or have had, an internet website or other internet presence, describe it briefly and provide the link to your site(s).

6. PERSONAL SUITABILITY:

- (a) Please advise of, in the past 10 years, any physical, emotional, psychological health, or other challenges, including those related to substance use, which affected with your work? Please describe and explain the extent to which they may adversely impact your ability to fulfill your duties as a Territorial Court Judge, keeping in mind the demanding work schedule, necessity of travel and social isolation related to the position.

- (b) Please advise of any professional, business or other interests that could cause a conflict or an appearance of a conflict if appointed to our Territorial Court.

- (c) Please advise of any civil claims or serious financial difficulties.

- (d) Please advise of any errors and omissions claims or complaints presently on file with the Law Society of Yukon or any other Law Society.

- (e) Please advise if you have ever been found guilty or convicted of a criminal offence (include discharges and offences for which you have been pardoned and/or received a Criminal Record Suspension).

- (f) Please advise if you have ever changed your name. If so, please provide details.

7. LITIGATION/ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL/DISPUTE RESOLUTION EXPERIENCE:

(a) What judges, if any, have you frequently appeared before in recent years?

(b) What tribunals, agencies, administrative decision-makers, or boards, if any, have you appeared before in recent years?

(c) What mediation, alternate dispute resolution, negotiation, and collaborative law experience, if any, do you have?

(d) Other:

8. TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS:

(a) Are you able to fly in a small aircraft on a regular basis and without difficulty?

Yes No

(b) Are you able to travel distances to court circuits that require overnight stays?

Yes No

(c) Can you be away from your home to attend judicial training courses or court circuits for up to a week at a time?

Yes No

9. REASONS FOR INTEREST IN A JUDICIAL POSITION:

- (a) Please explain why you are interested in serving on the Territorial Court.

(b) What aspects of your education, experience and character would most assist you in discharging the responsibilities of a judge?

10. EDUCATION:

(a) Secondary school – name and location of schools attended:

extra-curricular activities _____

scholarships/awards _____

(b) University other than law school:

(i) name/location from/to degree/diploma

major subject(s) _____

extra-curricular activities _____

scholarships/awards _____

(ii) name/location from/to degree/diploma

major subject(s) _____

extra-curricular activities _____

scholarships/awards _____

(c) Law School: name/location from/to degree/diploma

areas of special interest _____

extra-curricular activities _____

scholarships/awards _____

(d) Post Graduate Studies in Law: name/location from/to degree/diploma

focus of study _____

(e) Continuing Education after Call to Bar:

List courses taken.

(f) Law-related memberships, committees and activities after graduation:

REFEREES – INCLUDE ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS

The Council DOES NOT require reference letters. Please provide the names of ONLY FOUR referees. Your referees should include one or more persons who have had direct and recent experience with your participation in community activities and one or more who have had direct and recent experience with your professional work. Your referees may be contacted by members of the Council as may other persons who are aware of your professional experience and abilities.

All information will be kept in confidence by the Council. The Council may wish to obtain information from other sources. In making these inquiries, every effort will be made to maintain confidentiality.

PLEASE SPECIFY WHETHER YOUR REFEREES ARE “LAW RELATED” OR “OTHER” and provide both their current residential and business telephone numbers.

1. Name: _____ Law Related/Other

Address: _____

Business No. (____) _____ Residential No. (____) _____

2. Name: _____ Law Related/Other

Address: _____

Business No. (____) _____ Residential No. (____) _____

3. Name: _____ Law Related/Other

Address: _____

Business No. (____) _____ Residential No. (____) _____

4. Name: _____ Law Related/Other

Address: _____

Business No. (____) _____ Residential No. (____) _____
