



MINNESOTA BOARD OF LAW EXAMINERS APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

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SECTION 8 | YEARS OF PRACTICE ELIGIBILITY

In order to qualify for admission under [Rule 7A](#), [Rule 9](#), or [Rule 10](#), you must provide documentary evidence showing that for at least 36 of the 60 months immediately preceding this application you were engaged in the lawful practice of law for at least 1000 hours per year by engaging in one or more of the following activities listed in [Rule 7A](#):

- i. Lawyer representing one or more clients, including on a pro bono basis;
- ii. Lawyer in a law firm, professional corporation, or association;
- iii. Judge in a court of law;
- iv. Lawyer for any local or state governmental entity;
- v. House counsel for a corporation, agency, association, or trust department;
- vi. Lawyer with the federal government or a federal governmental agency including service as a member of the Judge Advocate General's Department of one of the military branches of the United States;
- vii. Full-time faculty member in any approved law school; and/or
- viii. Judicial law clerk whose primary responsibility is legal research and writing.

To qualify, activities listed in (i) through (v) must have been performed in a jurisdiction in which the applicant is admitted, or in a jurisdiction that permits the practice of law by a lawyer not admitted in that jurisdiction. Please provide the legal authority or documentation authorizing your practice if it occurred outside of a jurisdiction in which you were licensed. Activities listed in vi through viii may have been performed outside of the jurisdiction where the applicant is licensed.

To assist the Board in determining your practice eligibility, please submit a detailed narrative describing the following:

- 1. The employment or solo practice listed in Section 7.00 that you believe meets the [Rule 7A](#) definition of the practice of law;
- 2. The number of months and the date ranges for each qualifying activity;
- 3. Your rationale for concluding the time qualifies;
- 4. Any additional information you believe would be helpful in determining your eligibility under [Rule 7A](#).

You may be asked for additional information to verify eligibility.

Detailed Narrative per the instructions above (attach additional pages as needed):

I affirm that I have read Rule 7A of the Rules for Admission to the Bar and that for at least 36 of the 60 months immediately preceding my application, I was licensed to practice law, in good standing before the highest court of all jurisdictions where admitted, and was engaged in the lawful practice of law for at least 1000 hours per year as outlined in Rule 7A.

Signature

Date