

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

**ORAL REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS FOR EXPERT LEGAL SUPPORT SERVICES  
 TELEPHONE AUTHORIZATION FOR EXPENDITURES UNDER \$5,000**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Check one box for each question. If your response is "YES" to any of the questions in Section I or II, provide a detailed explanation on a separate sheet of paper and attach to this form. Refer to 12 C.F.R. Part 366 for the definition of terms.

**SECTION I – DISQUALIFYING CONDITIONS/CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

Among the contractor, any management officials, or affiliated business entities of the contractor, or any employees, agents or subcontractors of the contractor who will perform services under a proposed or existing contract with FDIC:

1. Have any been convicted of a felony?  YES  NO
2. Have any been removed from or prohibited from participating in the affairs of any insured depository institution pursuant to any final enforcement action by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, the Office of Thrift Supervision, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the FDIC, or their successors?  YES  NO
3. Have any demonstrated a pattern or practice of defalcation regarding obligations?  YES  NO
4. Have any caused a substantial loss (\$50,000 or more) to federal deposit insurance funds?  YES  NO
5. Do any have any personal, business, or financial interests or relationships which would cause a reasonable individual with knowledge of the relevant facts to question their integrity or impartiality?  YES  NO
6. Are any an adverse party to the FDIC, RTC, FSLIC, or their successors in a lawsuit?  YES  NO
7. Have any ever been suspended, excluded, or debarred from contracting with a federal entity?  YES  NO
8. Have any ever had a contract with the FDIC, RTC, FSLIC, or their successors rescinded or terminated prior to the contract's completion involving issues of conflicts of interest or ethical responsibilities?  YES  NO

**SECTION II – DEFAULTS**

9. Has the contractor or any company under the contractor's control defaulted on a material obligation during the ten (10) years preceding this submission?  YES  NO

**SECTION III – EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, AND SUBCONTRACTORS**

10. Does the contractor agree that it will prohibit any employee, agent, or subcontractor from performing services under the contract until the contractor verifies that the employee, agent, or subcontractor, to the best of that person's knowledge, would answer "NO" to the questions above?  YES  NO

**SECTION IV – CERTIFICATION**

**NOTICE:** The individual signing this application represents and warrants that he or she has authority to execute this application on behalf of the contractor, certifies that all of the representations and certifications contained herein are complete and accurate, and is aware of the penalty prescribed in 18 U.S.C. §1001 for making false statements.

11. NAME AND TITLE OF EXPERT/LSS PROVIDER ( <i>Type or print</i> )	12. NAME OF FIRM ( <i>Type or print</i> )
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13. RECORDED BY FDIC OFFICIAL (*Type or print*)

14. SIGNATURE	15. DATE ( <i>MM/DD/YY</i> )
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**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

12 U.S.C. §§ 1819, 1820(a), 1822(f), and 12 C.F.R. Part 366 authorize the collection of this information. The information collected will be primarily used to review and determine the fitness and integrity of contractors providing (or seeking to provide) expert or other legal support services to the FDIC. Disclosure of this information may be made in accordance with the "routine uses of records" listed in the FDIC's Financial Information Management Records, # 30-64-0012, including disclosure to: the General Accounting Office for inspection by auditors; appropriate Federal or State agencies for enforcement if a violation or possible violation of civil or criminal law is apparent; a court, magistrate, or administrative tribunal when the FDIC is a party to the proceeding or has a significant interest in the proceeding; the U.S. Office of Personnel Management and other appropriate agencies or offices to the extent disclosure is necessary to carry out government-wide personnel management, investigatory, and adjudicatory functions; a congressional office in response to an inquiry made at the request of the individual; the Internal Revenue Service, the Social Security Administration, State and local tax authorities; the FDIC Office of the Inspector General for audit purposes; a consultant, person or entity who contracts or subcontracts with the FDIC, to the extent necessary for the performance of the contract or subcontract; and to the Department of the Treasury, or another party for the purpose of collecting or assisting in the collection of a delinquent debt owed to the FDIC. Completing this form is voluntary. However, failure to provide the requested information may preclude you or your company from consideration for contracting with the FDIC.

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