

**VERIFICATION OF QUALIFICATIONS OF ASSOCIATE COUNSEL**

I hereby verify I meet the following qualifications to serve as lead counsel in capital cases:

1. I am an active member of the State Bar of California;
2. I am an active trial practitioner with at least three years' litigation experience in the field of criminal law;
3. I have prior experience either:
  - a. As lead counsel in at least ten felony jury trials tried to verdict, including three serious or violent felony jury trials tried to argument, verdict, or final judgment; or
  - b. As lead or associate counsel in at least five serious or violent felony jury trials, including at least one murder case, tried to argument, verdict, or final judgment;
4. I am familiar with the practices and procedures of the California criminal courts;
5. I am familiar with and experienced in the use of expert witnesses and evidence, including, but not limited to, psychiatric and forensic evidence;
6. I have completed within the last two years at least 15 hours of capital case defense training approved for Minimum Continuing Legal Education credit by the State Bar of California; and
7. I have demonstrated the necessary proficiency, diligence, and quality of representation appropriate to capital cases.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Typed or Printed Name:

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(Effective, January 1, 2005)