



AFFILIATE MEMBER APPLICATION

Mail to: State Bar of Georgia - Membership Department
104 Marietta Street, N.W., Suite 100
Atlanta, GA 30303-2743
(404) 527-8777 or (800) 334-6865

Date: _____

I am currently admitted to practice in the State of _____ and was admitted in _____ (year). My assigned bar number is: _____ (REQUIRED).

Enclose a photocopy of the Bar card issued by the State in which you are a member (Required)

* I am currently an employee of _____, which is a government organization, the armed services, a private or commercial institution, or a law school. I hereby apply for recognition as an Affiliate Member under the provisions of Rule 1-206 of the Rules and Regulations for the Organization and Government of the State Bar of Georgia, and of Article I, Section 6 of the Bylaws (see page 2 of this application).

With this application, I attach a check payable to the State Bar of Georgia for \$100.00 to be applied as dues for the State Bar of Georgia's current fiscal year, _____ as such Affiliate. The fiscal year is from July 1 through June 30 of each year.

*If applying between January 1st and May 14th of the current year, please submit the prorated dues amount of \$50.00.

***If applying between May 15th and June 30th of the current year, payment is \$100 and will be applied to the new fiscal year.**

*All fields required

FULL NAME: (Circle Mr. or Ms.) _____ SS# (First 5 digits) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____

EMAIL _____ DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT _____

*Endorsement of Active Member of the **State Bar of Georgia**:

As an Active Member of the State Bar of Georgia, I endorse the above applicant for recognition as an Affiliate Member of the State Bar of Georgia (must include your bar number below).

Date

Signature and Bar Number of State Bar of Georgia Attorney (REQUIRED)

BYLAWS OF THE STATE BAR OF GEORGIA

Pertinent Rules and Regulations for the Organization and Government of the State Bar of Georgia:

Rule 1-206. Affiliate Members.

In addition to the membership and classes of membership provided in this Chapter, the State Bar may recognize as affiliates, without the rights and privileges of membership, members of the legal profession not authorized to practice law in Georgia, but who are licensed to practice law in another state or the District of Columbia, and are in good standing in all jurisdictions in which they are licensed. Affiliate members may be furnished copies of appropriate publications and may be entitled to attend and participate, without the right to vote or hold office, in those meetings and activities conducted by the State Bar and any of its component parts or sections.

Bylaws, State Bar of Georgia, Article I. Section 6. Affiliate and Law Student Members.

In addition to the classes of membership provided in the preceding sections of this Article, the Board of Governors or the Executive Committee of the Board may consider and approve or disapprove applications for Affiliate or Law Student membership with the State Bar. Any Affiliate member or Law Student member shall have the right to attend State Bar meetings and receive State Bar official publications, but shall not have the right to hold office or vote or have other rights and privileges incident to membership. An Affiliate or Law Student member shall not hold himself or herself out to the public or imply in any manner that he or she is a member in good standing of the State Bar of Georgia or entitled to practice law in this State. Affiliate or Law Student members are no longer assigned membership numbers. They will be assigned a membership number when they become an official member obtaining Active or Inactive status. The State Bar retains the right to deny or revoke the membership privileges of any Affiliate or Law Student member who violates this Section.

The application form for an Affiliate or Law Student membership shall include the recommendation of the applicant by an active member in good standing with the State Bar. Affiliate or Law Student membership may be renewed each fiscal year without additional application. The Board of Governors shall prescribe the dues or fees for Affiliate or Law Student membership. Affiliate membership shall be approved only when the applicant is licensed to practice law in another state or the District of Columbia, and is in good standing in all jurisdictions in which he or she is licensed, and is an employee of government, the armed services, a private or commercial institution or a law school, and is not otherwise authorized to practice law in Georgia.

Be sure you enclose a photocopy of the Bar Card issued by the State in which you are a Member, and have your application endorsed by an Active member of the State Bar of Georgia (Required).