

## 2017 IOLTA COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

All lawyers licensed to practice law in Arkansas are required to annually certify their compliance with Rule 1.15 of the Arkansas Rules of Professional Conduct. **YOU ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE YOUR CERTIFICATION ONLINE BY GOING TO <https://attorneyinfo.aoc.arkansas.gov>**. If you choose instead to submit this paper certification, you must check **ONE** of the appropriate statements regarding IOLTA below. Print and sign your name, and provide the number assigned to you by the Supreme Court of Arkansas. Please also complete and return the attached statement regarding your pro bono activities this past year.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am an Arkansas lawyer who receives or disburses client funds in Arkansas, and, in order to comply with the Model Rules of Professional Conduct Rule 1.15, I have (my law firm has, or the public or private entity for which I work has) established one or more pooled client trust account(s), all of which are interest-bearing for the benefit of the IOLTA Program of the Arkansas Access to Justice Foundation. **Information regarding my IOLTA account is provided below. (Please attach additional pages listing account information for any additional IOLTA accounts.)**

\_\_\_\_\_ Print the Firm Name as it appears on the account

\_\_\_\_\_ City where Firm is located

\_\_\_\_\_ Print the Bank Name as it appears on the account

\_\_\_\_\_ Account number

\_\_\_\_\_ I am licensed to practice law in Arkansas, but I do not handle client or third-party funds subject to rule 1.15 (includes government and military attorneys, judges, in-house counsel, and attorneys who maintain an active law license but do not practice).

\_\_\_\_\_ I am licensed to practice law in Arkansas, but I primarily practice in another state and I am in compliance with that state's IOLTA rules.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am retired or inactive.

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Lawyer

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Print Full Name

\_\_\_\_\_ Supreme Court Bar Number

***Your responses below will not be maintained on an identifiable basis. Aggregate data will be provided to the Arkansas Access to Justice Commission for the purpose of assessing the provision of pro bono legal services in Arkansas.***

I provided a total \_\_\_ hours of pro bono public service, as defined in Rule 6.1 of the Rules of Professional Conduct, during calendar year 2016. My activities included the following (check all applicable):

Provided legal services to persons of limited means

Provided legal services to charitable, religious, civic, community, governmental, or educational organizations in matters designed primarily to address the needs of persons of limited means, or in matters in furtherance of their organizational purposes

Provided legal services to individuals, groups, or organizations seeking to secure or protect civil rights, civil liberties, or public rights

Participated in activities for improving the law, legal system, or legal profession