CIRCUIT COURT OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY STATE OF MISSOURI

NEUTRAL QUALIFICATION FORM Pursuant to Local Rule 38

I am applying for inclusion on the list of neutrals to be maintained by the Circuit Clerk pursuant to Local Rule 38 of the Circuit Court of St. Louis County. The following information is supplied in support of this application.

1.	Name:	HEMPSTEAD	GERRY	<u> </u>	F.	Middle)
	•	(Last)	(First)		((Middle)
2.	Addre	ess: Behr, McCarter & l	Potter, P. C.			
		7777 Bonhomme,	Suite 1400			
		St. Louis,		Missouri	<u>63105</u>	
		(City)		(State)		(ZIP+4)

- 3. Telephone Number: <u>314-862-3800</u>
- 4. Facsimile Number: 314-862-3953
- 5. State the standard hourly fee for your services as a neutral \$250.00. **Plus USA&M, Midwest Administrative fee of \$200.00.
- 6. List your appropriate training or equivalent experience in conducting alternative dispute resolution as required for certification under Supreme Court Rule 17.04.

University of Missouri Advanced Mediator Training 2003 (8.5 Hours) USA&M Advanced Mediator Training 2004 (3.5 Hours) American Bar Association Mediator Training 1998 American Academy of Attorney Mediators Training 1995

7. Please list all areas of substantive law or experience which are or have been a significant part of your professional background or practice.

Business Litigation involving minority shareholder disputes, purchase and sale of businesses, fraud, real estate, banking, will contests, construction litigation, professional malpractice attorneys – doctors – personal injury and products liability and FELA.

- 8. [If the answer to any of the following questions is yes, please explain the circumstances on a separate sheet and attach.]
 - a. Have you ever been disciplined for violation of any code of professional ethics or responsibility? NO
 - b. Have you ever pled guilty to or been found guilty of a felony? NO
 - c. Have you ever been found liable for fraud or any other intentional tort? NO
 - d. Have you ever had a professional license revoked or suspended for reasons other than non-payment of dues? NO
 - e. Have any professional malpractice judgments been entered against you? <u>NO</u>
- 9. List the courts and professional organizations in which you currently hold certifications as a neutral, mediator, arbitrator, or other ADR service provider. USA&M, Pinnacle, Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit
- 10. In the space below briefly describe your experience, qualifications special areas of expertise, and any other reasons why you should be selected as a neutral.

Education: USA&M Advanced Mediator Training, 2004. University of Missouri Advanced Mediator Training, 2003. American Bar Association Mediator Training, 1998. American Academy of Attorney Mediators Training, 1995. St. Louis University School of Law, 1968. St. Louis University A.B. 1965.

Accomplishments: Mr. Hempstead has a wide spectrum of litigation experience with Evans & Dixon, Suelthaus & Walsh, and the Brasher Law Firm. He is a partner with Behr, McCarter & Potter. He has participated in civil cases involving personal injury, FELA, products liability and professional malpractice including doctors, hospitals, attorneys, and architects; general business litigation including minority shareholder disputes, purchase and sale of businesses, class actions, noncompetes, fraud, securities, real estate, banks, and will contests; construction litigation, mechanics liens, and claims against sureties and insurance. Mr. Hempstead has authored the "Tortious Interference with Contracts" Chapter of the Missouri Bar CLE. He has also lectured at local, state, and national seminars.

Affiliations: Missouri Bar Association. Lawyers Association, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis.



March 30 2004 (Date)

THIS FORM WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PARTIES TO ASSIST THEM IN CHOOSING A NEUTRAL.