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**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
NATIONAL FORUM OF ADVOCATES**

1. Full names:

1.1. ID Number:

1.2. Residential address:

Postal address:

1.3. Telephone number (home): _____

Cell-phone number: _____

Telephone number (business): _____

Fax number: _____

E-mail: _____

2.

2. The address where you currently keep chambers and from where you practise:

2.1. The period that you kept chambers at the abovementioned address:

3. The date of your admission as an Advocate:

(Please attach a photocopy of the court order by which you were admitted as an advocate)

3.1. The period you have already practised as an Advocate:

3.2. The period you have practised as an Advocate in the Criminal Law field:

3.3. Have you actively worked in one of the following categories:

3.3.1 For a period of at least twelve (12) months as:

(i) A member of any Constituent Bar, i.e. Bars affiliated to the General Council of the Bar of South Africa:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

Name of the Bar: _____

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(ii) A State Advocate:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(iii) A Regional Court Magistrate:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(iv) An Attorney:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(v) A Professor or Senior Lecturer, lecturing any one of the following branches of law at any recognised tertiary Law School in South Africa:
The Law of Arbitration; Civil Law; Constitutional and Administrative Law; Criminal Law; Forensic Law; Labour Law:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

3.3.2. For a period for at least twenty four (24) months as:

(i) An Advocate not a member of any Constituent Bar:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(ii) A Regional Court Prosecutor:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

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(iii) A District Court Magistrate:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(iv) A Labour Consultant:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(v) A Public Defender:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

(vi) A Legal Adviser:

Answer: Yes/No: _____

Period: _____

4. Do you consider yourself as a suitable person for membership of the National Forum of Advocates?

Answer: Yes/No: _____

4.1. Please motivate your answer shortly:

5.

4.2. Any facts which should be brought to the attention of the Bar Council which may influence your suitability as a member of the National Forum of Advocates:

4.3. Have you ever been subjected to an investigation against you for professional misconduct either as an employee or as a legal practitioner? If so, give full details:

4.4. I hereby give permission to the Bar Council of the NFA to make any enquiries which they may deem necessary pertaining to my application and eligibility for membership of the NFA.

* Yes/No:
(*Delete whichever is not applicable)

5. Are you in possession of the Ethical rules (The code of conduct) of the National Forum of Advocates?

Answer: Yes/No: _____

6.

5.1. Did you study the contents of the abovementioned rules so that you are conversant with the contents of the abovementioned rules?

Answer: Yes/No: _____

5.2. Do you declare that you are prepared, as a member of the National Forum of Advocates, to be disciplined by the National Forum of Advocates and to adhere to the rules of the National Forum of Advocates?

Answer: Yes/No: _____

6. Any other information that you would like to submit for consideration of your application to the Bar Council of the National Forum of Advocates:

Application completed and signed at _____ on this _____ day of _____.

APPLICANT: _____

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NATIONAL FORUM OF ADVOCATES**

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CURRENT BASIC FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS OF MEMBERS

A. Joining fee: R1 500-00 (all members)

B. R450-00 per month –payable to the national fund of the NFA (by Debit order)

Account details :

Bank : ABSA , Ghandi Square

Account name : National Forum of Advocates

Account number : 40- 4890- 8650

Type : Cheque

C. The monthly branch contributions set by the Relevant Branch and approved by the Bar Council of the NFA. This amount is utilised by the Branch and administered by the Branch itself by means of its own Branch Executive.