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**APPLICATION FOR NOMINATION OF COUNSEL FOR LITIGATION[[1]](#footnote-1) BY THE DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE ENFORCEMENT**

Please note that in order to be valid an application must be:

* completed in full and
* signed by the applicant

Please note that barristers who have, by submitting this form, expressed an interest in acting for litigation purposes for the Director of Corporate Enforcement (“the Director”) should have a valid tax clearance certificate at all times.

Please use block capital letters. If the space provided is inadequate, please attach additional sheets as necessary.

**SECTION 1 - PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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| Name: | | |
| Date of commencement of practice: | | Year called to the inner Bar  (if applicable): |
| Address (office) | |  |
| Office No. | |  |
| Mobile No. | |  |
| Email: | |  |
| TCAN: | Tax Reference No.: | |

**SECTION 2 - THIRD LEVEL QUALIFICATIONS**

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| Institution | Award (Degree, Diploma, etc) | Year Awarded |
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**SECTION 3 - PARTICULARS OF PRACTICE**

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| Master (if qualified within the last seven years): |
| Areas of expertise: |
| Circuit membership(s): |
| Summary of experience at the Bar in the area of company law: |
| Particulars of other areas of significant experience in the following areas of law (please insert N/A where not relevant):   1. Criminal Law: 2. Administrative Law: 3. Constitutional Law: 4. European Law: 5. Data Protection Law: 6. Procurement Law: 7. Employment Law: |

**SECTION 4 (Not Mandatory) - CAPACITY TO CONDUCT A CASE IN IRISH**

I hereby declare that I am fluent in written and spoken Irish and am fully competent to conduct a case before the Courts in Irish. I am willing for my name to be placed on the panel of counsel who are prepared so to act.

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

**SECTION 5 - ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND CERTIFICATE OF APPLICANT**

I hereby notify the Director of Corporate Enforcement of my interest in acting in litigation and/or advise the Office of the Director of Corporate Enforcement in any matter related to litigation in which the Director is satisfied that I am qualified and suitable to so act or advise.

I understand that the Director of Corporate Enforcement, in accepting this application, does not guarantee that I will be briefed in any matter.

I understand that in nominating counsel the Director may have regard to all relevant facts and of the particulars herein.

I understand that barristers who have expressed an interest in acting in litigation for the Director of Corporate Enforcement must have a valid tax clearance certificate at all times and that payment for any work carried out will not be made until an up to date tax clearance certificate is furnished.

I certify that the particulars which I have disclosed herein are correct.

Signed:

Date:

Please send the completed form by email only to [info@odce.ie](mailto:info@odce.ie) with “Legal Panel” in the subject line.

1. ‘Litigation’ includes judicial proceedings before courts, tribunals or public authorities of any country or before international courts, tribunals or institutions. It also includes legal advice given in preparation for any of such proceedings, or where there is a tangible indication and high probability that the matter to which the advice relates will become the subject of such proceedings. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)