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About NAALJ

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For those who have recently joined NAALJ, or who may be thinking of joining, we include this brief description of our association.

The National Association of Administrative Law Judges, formerly known as the National Association of Administrative Hearing Officers (NAAHO), Madison, Wisconsin, is a non-profit, professional organization dedicated to the improvement of the administrative hearing process. It is comprised of state, federal, county and municipal Administrative Law Judges, hearing officers, referees, trial examiners and commissioners, and members of higher appellate authorities, exercising a wide variety of subject matter jurisdiction.

NAALJ was established in 1974; it now has members in every state, Canada, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico. The New York State Administrative Law Judges Association, the California Administrative Law Judges Association and the Illinois Association of Administrative Law Judges are among its largest affiliated chapters.

NAALJ strives to enhance the quality of administrative justice, and to improve the process of dispute resolution. It serves as a forum for the exchange of ideas and information, conducts periodic seminars and training conferences, publishes a journal, and confers with officials of the state and federal governments on methods of improving administrative adjudication. The National Administrative Law Foundation, incorporated by NAALJ in 1980, is expressly devoted to the public interest.

Membership in NAALJ is open to persons gainfully employed by government agencies who are empowered to preside over statutory fact-finding hearings or appellate proceedings arising within, among or before public agencies, or who are empowered to prepare decisions for a higher tribunal. Other persons may be eligible for associate membership.

National dues for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985 are $25 for all members. Members employed in New York, California, Oklahoma, Illinois or Colorado must join the local chapter.

To apply for membership in NAALJ, complete the Membership Application and mail it to Hon. Donald Beighle, Treasurer, P.O. Box 30587, Midwest City, OK 73140, together with an initial membership fee of $25. The membership fee is in lieu of National dues for the current year, and applies to all new members, wherever employed, who do not already belong to an affiliated chapter.

For information concerning existing chapters, or the formation of an affiliate, write to Hon. Stanley J. Cygan, Secretary, at the address set forth on the inside rear cover.
MEMBERSHIP QUESTIONNAIRE

Please answer all questions fully. Type or print.

NAME: ________________________ (last) ________________________ (first) ________________________ (M.I.)

HOME ADDRESS: ________________________ (street) ________________________ (apt.)

________________________________________ (city) ________________________ (state) ________________________ (zip)

HOME TEL. #: ( ) ________________________ BUS. TEL. #: ( ) ________________________

TITLE (ALJ, HEARING OFFICER, etc.): ________________________

NAME OF AGENCY (in full): ________________________

BUSINESS ADDRESS: ________________________ (street) ________________________ (city) ________________________ (zip)

Please send my mail to: ___ Home ___ Business Address

DATE OF BIRTH: ________________________ SOC. SEC. #: ________________________

Are you an attorney at law? ___ yes ___ no

My present position is: ___ elected ___ appointed for fixed term ___ appointed for indefinite term ___ competitive civil service ___ other (explain): ________________________

My position is: ___ full time ___ part time ___ per diem

Year service began: ___

(over)
13) BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF JOB DUTIES:


14) ACADEMIC DEGREES & YEARS AWARDED:


15) AWARDS, HONORS, ETC.; OTHER AFFILIATIONS (OPTIONAL):


16) OPTIONAL & CONFIDENTIAL: FOR USE BY THE COMMITTEE ON COMPENSATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES & HEARING OFFICERS.

Salary (or salary range) for your percent position:

$_________________ per __________________. Salary fixed by:

____ statute ______ civil service board ___ appointing authority

____ collective bargaining ______ other (please explain):


17) I AM NOW A MEMBER OF THIS ASSOCIATION. (I previously joined NAALJ or its predecessor, NAAHO).

____ I HEREBY APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP.

18) SIGNATURE:_________________________ Date:__________