



Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution

Affidavit of Removal of Registration Category or Deregistration

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The Georgia Supreme Court ADR Rules, Appendix B. II, D.6. allows for neutrals to elect to remove one or more specific registration category(ies) or choose to deregister altogether. To make an election, a neutral must complete this form and upload it to their account in the Georgia Courts Registrar. Mediators cannot, however, elect to remove a registration category that is out of sequence with training. For example, a neutral registered in Specialized Domestic Violence Mediation (SDV) may remove the SDV category and the Domestic Relations Mediation (DR) category; however, they could not keep SDV and removed DR, as this would represent registration that is out of sequence.

Once removed, registration may **not** be reinstated and a registration category may **not** be added back, regardless of the length of time passed. Exception is only made for those who successfully complete the training and all initial requirements again, as though registering in that category for the first time.

By my signature below, I am hereby swearing or affirming under oath ALL the following:

1. I am over the age of eighteen (18) years, and I am competent and able to indicate my preference for removal.
2. I am aware that the Supreme Court ADR Rules Georgia Commission on Dispute Resolution allow for the removal of a registration category(ies) or deregistration.
3. I wish to make the following election:
 - I wish to deregister, which I understand will result in the removal of **all** categories.
 - or
 - Remove my registration in the following category(s), which I have indicated with a check mark:

<input type="checkbox"/> Non-binding Arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> Early Neutral Evaluation
<input type="checkbox"/> General Civil	<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile Delinquency Mediation
<input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Relations	<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile Dependency Mediation
<input type="checkbox"/> Specialized Domestic Violence	
4. I understand that by completing this affidavit and requesting deregistration or removal of these categories, my registration cannot be reinstated and the categories cannot be added back unless I complete the applicable training(s) again and apply for registration as though I was registering in the category for the first time. I understand that removal of my current registration in the check-marked categories is **permanent** and that I cannot not register or add categories back except by completing all applicable training programs and all initial registration requirements for each category that I am removing.

I have read the foregoing and it is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Printed Name

Signature

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this _____ day of _____, 20__

Notary Public

My Commission Expires _____