**THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

**BAR ASSOCIATION**

**ABN 84 008 481 258**

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

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**CHAMBERS / BUSINESS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Qualifications and Institutions:**

**(a) Academic qualifications in law**

Qualification Name of Institution Year Awarded

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**(b) Other academic qualifications**

Qualification Name of Institution Year Awarded

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**MEMBERSHIP CLASS** (Please select only one category)

□**Class A** Practising barrister whose principal place of practice is the Australian Capital Territory;

□**Class A (i)** Practising barrister employed by the DPP, GSO and AGS

□ **Class B (i)** Legal Practitioner practising in any other jurisdiction (i.e. interstate or overseas)

 State whether barrister or other title\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Are you currently the subject of any complaints or disciplinary action? If so please provide details:

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□ **Class B (ii)** Non-Practising Barrister;

□**Class B (iii)** Practising Practitioners employed by the DPP, GSO and AGS.

□ **Class B (iv)** Judges, Magistrates, Retired Judges, Retired Magistrates, Academics, Other (person not falling into any of the above categories subject to Bar Council approval).

 State occupation/status:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**‘FIND A BARRISTER’ and Mailing Lists**

The information requested on this form is to enable the Bar Association to maintain its membership records. The business contact details, areas of practice and other languages spoken of those members **who hold a current practising certificate** are, unless the member requests otherwise, made available on the Association’s ‘Find a Barrister’ webpage and to the public on request (mobile numbers are not made available, unless authorised by member). This is a search facility to enable members of the public and solicitors to search for a suitable barrister based on their particular circumstances.

□ I AGREE to be included on the Association’s ‘Find a Barrister’ webpage

□ I do NOT wish to be included on the Association’s ‘Find a Barrister’ webpage

**DECLARATION**

**I DECLARE** the information above to be true and correct. In the event of election to membership of the Australian Capital Territory Bar Association, I agree to be bound by the Rules and Constitution of the Association.

DATED:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**List of Areas of Practice**

**(Tick the relevant areas of practice** - **to be included on the Association’s ‘Find a Barrister’ Website – only practising barristers need to complete this section)**

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| 1 |  **Alternative Dispute Resolution**☐ Arbitrators☐ Expert Determiners☐ Mediators☐ Neutral evaluators☐ Referees |
| 2 | **Appellate**☐ Civil appeals☐ Criminal appeals |
| 3 | **Commercial**☐ Appellate☐ Banking☐ Bankruptcy☐ Building and construction☐ Competition☐ Consumer protection law☐ Contractual disputes☐ Corporate insolvency☐ Corporations law☐ Insurance☐ Intellectual property☐ International commercial arbitration☐ Partnership disputes☐ Professional liability☐ Real property☐ Restraint of trade☐ Securities and investments☐ Strata and Community Title☐ Superannuation☐ Telecommunications and broadcasting☐ Transport law – Admiralty / aviation / maritime |
| 4 | **Common Law / Personal Injury Practice**☐ Appellate☐ Dust diseases☐ Insurance – disability claims☐ Intentional torts☐ Judicial review – motor accidents☐ Judicial review - workers compensation☐ Motor vehicles☐ Negligence☐ Professional negligence☐ Work injury damages☐ Workers compensation |
| 5 | **Criminal Practice** ☐ Appellate☐ Crimes against the person☐ Drugs☐ Environment and planning offences☐ Extradition☐ Fraud☐ Juvenile justice☐ Mental illness☐ Proceeds of Crime/money laundering☐ Property offences☐ Sexual assault☐ Traffic☐ White collar and corporate crime☐ Work health and safety |
| 6 | **Defamation**☐ Appellate |
| 7 | **Environmental Planning**☐ Appellate☐ Civil enforcement☐ Compulsory acquisition of land and compensation☐ Environmental and planning offences☐ Local government☐ Merit appeals☐ Mining☐ Valuation of land – rating and taxing appeals |
| 8 | **Equity Practice**☐ Appellate☐ Family provision☐ Real property☐ Trusts☐ Wills and probate |
| 9 | **Family and guardianship**☐ Appellate☐ Care and protection☐ Parenting orders☐ Property☐ Mediation |
| 10 | **Industrial/employment**☐ Appellate☐ Discrimination☐ Employment contracts and restraint of trade☐ Industrial disputes and statutory employment rights☐ Public sector appeals☐ Work health and safety☐ Mediation |
| 11 | **Inquests/ inquiries Practice**☐ Commissions and other inquiries☐ Coronial inquests |
| 12 | **International Practice**☐ Choice of Law☐ International commercial arbitration☐ International tax☐ Public international law |
| 13 | **Public /administrative**☐ Appellate☐ Civil and human rights☐ Constitutional law☐ Customs☐ Disciplinary proceedings☐ Discrimination☐ Extradition☐ Immigration law☐ Judicial review and administration law☐ Liquor licensing☐ Merits review☐ Native title☐ Privacy / freedom of information☐ Proceeds of crime☐ Social security and veteran entitlements |
| 11 | **Tax/revenue**☐ Capital gains tax☐ Goods and services tax☐ Income tax☐ Land tax☐ International tax☐ Payroll tax☐ Stamp duty and other state taxes |

**ANNUAL FEES AND PAYMENT**

This completed form (pages 1 to 4) constitutes a Tax Invoice, please keep a copy of your records.

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| **Seniority** | **Membership** |
| **Silk** | $530.40 |
| **Junior 13+years** | $446.76 |
| **Junior 6 – 12 years** | $334.56 |
| **Junior 3 – 5 years** | $265.20 |
| **Junior 1 – 2 years** | $223.38 |
| **Readers** (undertaking Reading Program first 12 months) | $88.00 |
| **Government (PC Holders)** | $123.42 |
| **Government (Non-PC Holder)** | $184.62 |
| **Interstate (Silk)** | $338.00 |
| **Interstate Junior** | $304.98 |
| **Judicial** | $184.62 |
| **Retired Judicial (non-practising)** | $184.62 |
| **Retired Barrister (non-practising)** | $184.62 |
| **Other (non-practising)** | $184.62 |
| **Life member** | No fee |

**THE ABOVE FEES ARE INCLUSIVE OF GST AND COVER MEMBERSHIP TO 30 JUNE IN THE CURRENT FINANCIAL YEAR.**

**Submit your application and an invoice will be issued.**