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**BROWARD COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
FIRST-TIME MEMBERS PRO-RATED
JANUARY – JUNE 2008**

Name: _____
 Firm/Office: _____
 Area(s) of Practice: _____
 Business Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
 Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____
 Date of Birth: _____ Year Admitted to Bar: _____ Florida Bar No.: _____
 Name of Law School: _____

DUES:

First Year Members of The Florida Bar—FREE
 Second through Fourth Year Florida Bar members-----\$50 *(pro-rated)*
If you are under the age of 36 or a Florida Bar member for less than five years, you will automatically be added to the Young Lawyers Section, unless you check here: _____
 All Other Florida Bar members, five years and over-----\$62.50 *(pro-rated)*
 Government lawyers, including Legal Aid, second through Fourth Year-- \$25.00 *(pro-rated)*
 Government lawyers, including Legal Aid, five years and over-----\$32.50 *(pro-rated)*

PRACTICE SECTION MEMBERSHIP (each section)-----\$10

Alternative Dispute Resolution _____	Government Law _____
Appellate Practice _____	Immigration Law _____
Bankruptcy Law _____	Intellectual Property Law _____
Business Law _____	Real Property Law _____
Construction Law _____	Probate & Trust Law _____
Criminal Law _____	Solo & Small Firm _____
Elder Law _____	Tax Law _____
Employment and Labor Law _____	Trial Lawyers _____
Family Law _____	Workers' Compensation _____

A. TOTAL DUES AND SECTIONS: _____

HELP PAY-OFF THE MORTGAGE:

I would like to make a voluntary contribution to help BCBA pay-off the mortgage on the Norma B. Howard Bar Center: B: TOTAL CONTRIBUTION: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED (A&B) \$ _____

Please note that dues may not be deducted as a charitable contribution for Federal Income Tax Purposes but they may be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses.

The Bar's fiscal year is July 1 through June 30. Please return the application with a check in the appropriate amount payable to the Broward County Bar Association (or pay by credit card below) to 1051 S.E. 3rd Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33316, or fax to (954) 764-8060.

Credit Card Payment: _____ M/C _____ Visa _____ AmEx Card No.: _____
 Expiration Date: _____ Amount Charged to Card: _____
 Name as it appears on Credit Card: _____
 Signature: _____

2007-2008 Committee Assignment Request

The Broward County Bar Association invites members to participate in committees which organize and promote the activities of the Association for the benefit of members and the public. Please circle and indicate your choices in order, (1), (2), etc.

Bench & Bar—works on issues of concern to Broward Judges and lawyers

Building—oversees budget for maintenance and improvements and develops long-range planning

Bylaws—reviews the Bylaws for changes or additions

Clerk & Bar--works on issues of concern to the Broward Clerk's office and lawyers

Finance—assists the Treasurer with the the budget, financial reports, and tax returns

Judicial Evaluation—reviews, revises, and conducts the Judicial Poll by members

Law Week—plans annual celebration activities for the Week of May 1

Lawyer Referral—oversees the operation of the Lawyer Referral Service and Low Cost programs

Membership—encourages members to renew and recruits new members; evaluates member benefits

Professionalism (must be 5+ years in practice)—addresses minor attorney/client complaints (Peer Review Panel) and attorney/judge disputes; Mentor panel provides advice to new attorneys; teaches the law to students and non-lawyer adults (People's Law School, Speakers' Bureau, Cable TV, Justice Teaching, civics)

Publications—develops content and appearance of the "Barrister" and brochures

Social/Sports/Goodwill--organizes events for fun and for charity

Voluntary Bar and Law School Liaison—communicates with Nova, University of Miami, FIU, and St. Thomas students and graduates and with members of local voluntary bar associations

BROWARD LAWYERS CARE

Rule 4-6, Rules Regulating The Florida Bar, requires reporting to The Florida Bar for pro bono services or a contribution to a legal aid organization. Broward County Bar Association encourages its members to commit to Legal Aid Service of Broward County's pro bono project, Broward Lawyers Care (BLC), to perform twenty (20) hours of pro bono services or contribute the sum of \$350 to Legal Aid.

Please fill out the following if you are interested in fulfilling your voluntary pro bono services or contribution--**This information will be forwarded to Legal Aid Service of Broward County, Inc. Do NOT send checks to the Bar Association.**

_____ I agree to provide pro bono services to Legal Aid Service of Broward County, Inc. through Broward Lawyers Care

_____ I agree to donate the sum of \$350 to Legal Aid Service of Broward County, Inc.