### American Board of Trial Advocates



### NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

This "Nomination for Membership" form is required by the Los Angeles Chapter of ABOTA for all new members. This form must be completed and signed by two current LA-ABOTA members who are sponsoring the nominee. This form should be returned with the nominee's membership application to ABOTA for processing.

Name of Nominee:
Firm Name:
Address, e-mail and telephone number
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Name of Sponsor Submitting the Nomination:
Firm Name:
Address:
Date Admitted to LA-ABOTA:
I am primarily an attorney for the: Defense Plaintiff
Known Nominee foryears
Litigation Experience with Nominee:
Name of Second Sponsor:
Firm Name:
Address:
Date Admitted to LA-ABOTA:
I am primarily an attorney for the: Defense Plaintiff
Known Nominee foryears
Litigation Experience with Nominee:

### Please answer the following questions – First Sponsor:

1. I have reason to believe that at the time of application to ABOTA, the nominee does possess the trial experience requirements for membership in ABOTA for the rank of \_\_\_\_\_\_;

2. I have sufficient knowledge about and experience with the Nominee to attest to his or her good character and reputation for civility and integrity and will appear before the Membership Committee and/or the Executive Committee to so state;

3. I believe the Nominee has and will comply with the ABOTA Rules of Civility;

4. To my knowledge, the Nominee has not previously applied for membership to Los Angeles or any other Chapter of ABOTA;

5. I have no reason to believe that the Nominee is seeking membership in ABOTA primarily for business marketing or self-promotional activities;

- 6. I will personally encourage the Nominee to become a Fellow in the ABOTA Foundation;
- 7. From my personal observations and experience with the Nominee, I would feel comfortable being represented in discovery and trial by the Nominee.

# Please attach additional sheets, if needed, to fully describe the reasons why the Nominee should be a member of ABOTA.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct:

Signature of Sponsor Submitting this Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Please answer the following questions – Second Sponsor:

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Signature of Second Sponsor Submitting this Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PHOTO OF CANDIDATE (OPTIONAL)