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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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IN RE:)
) AMENDMENTS TO) GENERAL ORDER
LOCAL CIVIL RULES ("CRs"))
)

The Local Civil Rules ("CRs") of this Court are hereby amended as follows:

Rule CR 39.1 (b)(2) is amended to read:

(2) Minimum Qualifications.

In order to qualify for service as a Mediator, Special Master or Arbitrator under this Rule, an attorney shall have the following minimum qualifications:

- (a) Have been a member of the bar of a federal district court for at least 7 years; and
- (b) Be a member of the bar of the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington; and
- (c) A substantial portion of his or her practice has been, or is, in Federal-Court litigation.

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This amendment shall be effective immediately upon the filing of this Order.

Dated this 22 day of May, 1984.

Walter H. Bowen
Chief United States District Judge

Donald S. Tuckman
United States District Judge

Jack E. Tanner
United States District Judge

Robert J. Blatstein
United States District Judge

W. C. Johnson
United States District Judge

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