

CONFIDENTIAL MEDIATION BACKGROUND INFORMATION
FOR MEDIATION OFFICE REVIEW ONLY

Submit this form directly to the Mediation Office.
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Case Name: _____

Case No.: _____

Please identify your client(s) and provide contact information for each participant in the mediation conference. If more than one attorney is involved, the attorney with the most direct relationship with the client is required to participate in the conference and should be listed as Lead Mediation Counsel below. At least one participating attorney **MUST** file an appearance in this case.

Client Name(s):

Appellant
Appellee
Other

Details: _____

Lead Mediation Counsel:

Name: _____

Firm Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Mediation Counsel:

Name: _____

Firm Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Client(s)/Participant(s):

Name: _____

Position: _____

Telephone: _____

By participating in mediation, participants acknowledge mediation communications are confidential pursuant to 6 Cir. R. 33, recording of mediation is not permitted, and only those identified by counsel are permitted to participate in mediation.

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This information will not be shared with other parties or their counsel. It is intended to help the mediator more effectively assist you in assessing prospects for settlement generally, and then, if warranted, by steering negotiations toward solutions that may satisfy the parties' interests. Please be as thorough and candid as possible.

1. Please state all specific interests and concerns, other than monetary, which you think should be taken into account in considering resolution of this case:*

2. Please identify any potential obstacles to settlement (on either side). If there have been prior settlement or mediation discussions, please provide relevant information that should be taken into account:*

3. Please provide any other information, comments, or insights to assist the mediator in understanding this case, the underlying dispute, and other issues relevant to settlement efforts:*

*If additional space is needed, please continue the responses on a separate page. Please e-mail this form and any continuation pages to the Mediation Office as a single pdf document (see e-mail instructions below).