

**Public Employment Relations Board
80 Wolf Road, Suite 500
Albany, NY 12205-2656**

RESUME OF PANEL ARBITRATOR

FULL NAME: Douglas S. Abel
CITY, STATE, ZIP: Basking Ridge, NJ 07920-0506
OCCUPATION: Arbitrator and Mediator

EDUCATION:

JD, 1980, Georgetown University Law Center
BA, Economics, 1977, University of Michigan

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

LERA (NY, NJ, and Philadelphia Chapters), Reitman American Inn of Court for Labor and Employment Law, Garibaldi American Inn of Court for Alternate Dispute Resolution, New Jersey Association of Professional Mediators

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE & TYPES OF ISSUES OR GRIEVANCES DISPOSED OF:

Arbitrator since 2007. On the following panels: AAA (Labor, Employment), New Jersey State Board of Mediation, Pennsylvania Bureau of Mediation, New Jersey Public Employment Relations Commission. Also on Permanent Panels: Verizon/IBEW Expedited Panel, New York City DOE/UFT 3020-a, Port Authority Employment Relations

MEDIATION & FACT-FINDING EXPERIENCE:

Mediate for the EEOC, AAA, and New Jersey State Court Rule 1.40 Cases

OTHER RELEVANT OR EQUIVALENT EXPERIENCE:

PER DIEM FEE: \$ 1400.00

ADJOURNMENT FEE: \$ 1400.00 (for each scheduled hearing date cancelled within 21 days)

SUBMITTED BY ARBITRATOR Douglas S. Abel ON September 27, 2010

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BILLING DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

ARBITRATOR'S NAME: **Douglas S. Abel**

The following is a description of my fees and expenses:

A) HEARING TIME.

(1) My per diem is \$1400.00 for each day or any part thereof spent hearing a case.

(2) If a hearing day exceeds 8 hours, I charge:

a second full per diem

a prorated per diem

no additional charge

other (describe) :

(3) Additional comments:

B) STUDY TIME.

(1) I charge \$ 1400.00 for each day spent in preparation of the opinion and award.

(2) This charge will will not be prorated for partial days devoted to such preparation.

(3) Additional comments:

C) TRAVEL TIME AND EXPENSES.

(1) When travel time plus hearing time exceeds _____ hours in a calendar day:

Not applicable (no additional charge)

I charge as follows (describe):

(2) I charge for actual, travel-related expenses incurred in connection with the case YES NO.

Where appropriate, a mileage charge for auto travel will be billed at:

Prevailing IRS rate

Other (describe):

(3) When the scheduled hearing day(s) requires an overnight stay:

There is no charge, other than for lodging and subsistence.

I charge as follows (describe):

(4) Additional Comments: For hearings outside normal commuting distance from Basking Ridge, I charge actual travel costs.

D) POSTPONEMENT OR CANCELLATION FEES.

A fee of \$ 1400.00 will be charged unless I receive notice of a postponement or cancellation:

- Within calendar days of the scheduled hearing date
- Other (describe): More than 21 days before scheduled hearing date

E) ADDITIONAL CHARGES. I charge separately for expenses incurred in connection with the following:

- Docketing (describe): Yes No
- Duplication Yes No
- Fax Yes No
- Finance or late payment charge (describe): Yes No
- Postage Yes No
- Secretarial Yes No
- Telephone Yes No
- Other (describe):

F) GENERAL TERMS.

- (1) Billing for fees and expenses will be divided equally between the parties unless otherwise required by the collective bargaining agreement or the conditions of the appointment.
- (2) Other conditions (describe):

G) OTHER INFORMATION/COMMENTS:

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