Alaska Bar Association
2013 Active Dues

Payment Deadline:
February 1, 2013

Pay Bar Dues online at:
www.MyAlaskaBar.org
See back for instructions

Preferred Contact Information*:

☐ *Address changes and/or additional information can be submitted on the enclosed form.

Mandatory

The following must be completed and signed under ARPC 1.15:

I or my firm:

☐ Elect to maintain an IOLTA account (in any state).
☐ Elect not to maintain an IOLTA account.
☐ Do not maintain a trust account.

Signature required: _____

2013 Section Renewal

First Section: **FREE**
Each Additional Section: **$15 each**

☐ Administrative Law
☐ Admiralty Law
☐ Alaska Native Law
☐ Alternate Dispute Resolution
☐ Appellate Law
☐ Bankruptcy Law
☐ Business Law
☐ Corporate Counsel Law
☐ Elder Law
☐ Employment Law
☐ Environmental/Natural Resources Law
☐ Estate Planning & Probate Law
☐ Family Law
☐ Health Law
☐ Immigration Law
☐ Intellectual Property Law
☐ International Law
☐ Law & Community Health Forum
☐ Municipal Law
☐ New Lawyers (Free)
☐ Public Contracts Law
☐ Real Estate Law
☐ Social Security Disability Advocacy
☐ Tax Law
☐ Torts/Personal Injury Law
☐ Unbundled Law
☐ Workers' Comp Law

2013 Fees

Membership Fees: (select one)

☐ Full Payment $660
☐ Split Payment** $350
(** Split Payment includes $25 service fee)

Sections:

☐ First Section: FREE
☐ Additional Sections: ____ x $15 = $_____

Contributions: (optional, see reverse)

☐ Alaska Bar Foundation $__15__
☐ Alaska Legal Services Corp. $_____

Total Enclosed $_____

Payment: (select one)
☐ Check (enclosed)

Charge to: ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover

Acct. #: _____ – _____ – _____ – _____

Exp. Date: _____ Billing ZIP Code: _____

Cardholder's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Submit payment and form to:
Alaska Bar Association
PO Box 100279 • Anchorage, AK 99510-0279
Phone: (907) 272-7469 • Fax: (907) 272-2932 • E-mail: info@alaskabar.org

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Each member should log on to his/her online Alaska Bar Association account. It is recommended that once you have logged on, you change your passcode.

Login: member number & last name (lower case only)
Passcode: first three letters of your last name & date of birth (MMDDYYYY)
Example: Login: 9202545smith Passcode: smi03171965

Due Date
All dues payments are due by **February 1**, either post-marked or hand-delivered.

Installment
Active Status Only – Active members who split the dues payment must include a $25 service fee with the first payment.

Late Fees
Payments received after February 1 will incur a late fee of $10 per week. If you make your dues payment after the deadline, you should include the late fee, with each portion of a week considered a whole week.

Suspension
Members who do not pay their dues or late fees will have their license suspended. On March 1, members will be given notice that on approximately April 1, a petition will be filed with the Supreme Court requesting that the members who have not paid their bar dues or late fees will have their license suspended. (See Alaska Bar Rule 61.)

Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection - $10 fee included with dues
Active Status Only - This fund is created for the purpose of reimbursing clients who have suffered non-insured losses of money or things of value as a result of dishonest conduct by attorneys. Bar Association Bylaw Article III, Section 1 (a) mandates that all active members must pay $10 annually to the Fund. Bar Rule 61 provides that a member may be suspended for failure to pay this fee.

ARPC 1.15 Safekeeping Property - Mandatory
Active Status Only – (e) A lawyer shall indicate on the lawyer's annual bar dues notice whether the lawyer or the lawyer's law firm: 1) elects to maintain the IOLTA trust account described in paragraph (d); 2) elects not to maintain the IOLTA trust account described in paragraph (d); or 3) does not maintain a trust account. A lawyer or law firm who wishes to change a previous election may do so at any time by notifying the Alaska Bar Association in writing. An IOLTA account may be maintained in or out of the State of Alaska.

Substantive Law Sections
Membership is open to all members in good standing. Members must renew their section membership each year. Section membership runs from January 1 – December 31 each year. Your first section is FREE; each additional section is $15. Section membership provides professional growth and development through: monthly meetings, Continuing Legal Education programs, a monthly newsletter, review of legislative and court actions, and e-mail list serves. Section meetings with substantive topics are approved for one CLE credit.

Membership Status Changes
Requests to transfer status to inactive must be made by **January 1**. An affidavit must be completed and sent to the Alaska Bar Association office. You may obtain a form by contacting our office or one is available on the Alaska Bar website. A member who practices law for any portion of a year is not eligible to go on inactive status for that year. For information on transferring to retired or inactive status, contact the Bar office or visit www.alaskabar.org.

New – Member Benefits
Go to www.alaskabar.org for a full listing of member benefits.

The budget is published in the *Alaska Bar Rag*, and members may obtain a copy of the budget and Board meeting minutes upon request.

Alaska Bar Foundation
The non-profit Alaska Bar Foundation raises and distributes funds to improve the administration of justice and provide legal services to the indigent. Your voluntary tax deductible contribution to the Foundation will aid in its continuing effort to fund programs designed to serve the public and the legal profession.

Alaska Legal Services Corporation:
ALSC, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, provides low-income Alaskans with access to the civil justice system. Through free legal advice, assistance, and/or representation, ALSC directly helps impoverished families, senior citizens, battered spouses, children suffering from abuse, the homeless, and the hungry obtain the help that they are entitled to receive. Your tax-deductible donation to the Robert Hickerson Partners in Justice Campaign will help ALSC deliver civil legal assistance and access to our system of law to needy Alaskans throughout the state.

2013 Bar Dues Breakdown
Per Active Member

Discipline	$ 260
Administration	168
CLE	63
Fee Arbitration	39
Pro Bono	33
BOG	22
MCLE	13
LFCP	10
Sections	10
Bar Rag	9
Law Review	7
Casemaker	5
Lobbyist	5
Web Page	4
LRE Grant/MLK Day	3
Committees	3
Litigation	3
Justices Receptions	2
New Lawyer Travel	1
Total	$ 660