



# HAMPDEN COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

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### ABOUT OUR SERVICE

The Hampden County Bar Association maintains, for the convenience of the bar, a roster of experienced neutrals lawyers and retired judges who are willing and available to assist in the resolution of different disputes. In an effort to support the Hampden County Bar Association, these neutrals joined our panel to arbitrate and/or mediate cases at rates, which are generally below their independent fees.

Any dispute, whether or not in litigation, may be scheduled with the Arbitration & Mediation Service by agreement of the parties. All parties must agree to arbitrate or mediate and to share in the fee before a referral is made. Regardless of the type of service selected, the session will be informal. The only paperwork required is a "Case Overview and List of Damages" (two page maximum) which each party must file one day before the session.

**SERVICES AVAILABLE:** Arbitrations, Mediations and Case Evaluations

### FEE SCHEDULE

**FEES:** The fee of the neutral is **\$300.00** per hour split between representatives and the administrative fee of **\$100.00** per party. Hearings can be scheduled from one hour to one day. The fee of the arbitrator/mediator shall be divided equally between the parties (i.e. if there is one plaintiff and two defendants and the hearing is scheduled for one hour, the parties will pay one third [1/3] of the hourly fee). The fees are due and payable prior to the commencement of the scheduled hearing and should be paid to the Case Coordinator of the Arbitration & Mediation Service.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Cancellations with less than three (3) business days notice shall be subject to a cancellation fee of \$300.00 payable to the arbitrator/mediator/case evaluator and \$100.00 payable to the HCBA Arbitration and Mediation Service. Cancellations made within one (1) hour of the scheduled hearing time will be charged the full fee based on the amount of time reserved for said hearing.

***See reverse side for the neutrals' areas of expertise***

To request a hearing or for additional information contact us at the above numbers or via email at [arbitrationmediation@hobar.org](mailto:arbitrationmediation@hobar.org)



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## ARBITRATION & MEDIATION SERVICE NEUTRALS

### Areas of Expertise

#### **Business Law:**

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#### **Employment Law:**

Robert H. Astor, Esquire  
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#### **Environmental/Municipal/Zoning Law:**

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#### **Medical/Legal Malpractice:**

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#### **Probate/Estate Matters:**

Hon. Anne M. Geoffrion (Ret.)  
Hon. David G. Sacks (Ret.)

#### **Personal Injury:**

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