



# Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association

## Membership Application

### Contact Information

Your membership is effective upon approval of application and receipt of annual membership dues. Please allow two to four weeks for confirmation and certificate receipt.

Mr.  Ms.  Mrs.

Name (first, middle, last) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth\* \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity\* \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

Bar Card Number/Date \_\_\_\_\_ Affiliate Association \_\_\_\_\_

\* These questions are optional and for internal statistics only. The information provided will not be distributed at any time.

#### Nominating Endorsement (must be completed for new members)

As a current member of TCDLA, I believe this applicant to be a person of professional competency, integrity and good moral character.

Printed Name of Endorser \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Endorser \_\_\_\_\_

#### Communication Preferences (legislative, SDRs, seminars, events, and other announcements related to criminal defense)

Exclude me from fax communication  Exclude me from email communication

### Membership Category

Please check appropriate category. Prices are for one year.

- First-time member **REG** • \$75
- Voluntary sustaining member (required for TCDLA officers and directors) **VS** • \$300
- TCDLA past president member **PPRES** • \$50
- Law student member **STU** • \$20
- Affiliate member **AFF** • \$50
  - Paralegal **PARAL**
  - Investigator **INV**
  - Expert **EXP**
  - Other (law professors and other persons approved by the board of directors)
- Regular member (renewal) **REG** • \$150
- Sustaining member (required for TCDLA associate directors) **SUS** • \$200
- Distinguished member (70+) **DIS** • \$50
- Public defender member (must be a PD employee) **PD** • \$50
  - Texas or  Federal
- I would like to donate to the TCDLEI scholarship, 501(c)(3) organization, in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

**Tax Notice:** \$36 of your annual dues (\$19 if a student member) is for a one year subscription to the *Voice for the Defense*. Dues to TCDLA are not deductible as a charitable contribution but may be deducted as an ordinary business expense. The non-deductible portion of regular and initial membership dues is \$39 in accordance with IRC sec. 6033.

### Lawyer Locator

Yes! Include me in the online Lawyer Locator.\* You may list up to three areas of specialty in criminal defense law for public access (example: DWI, sexual assault, appeals).

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### Payment Method

Check payable to TCDLA  Credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Amex, or Discover)

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### Join

Renew online at [www.tcdla.com](http://www.tcdla.com) or mail completed form with payment to **TCDLA Membership • 6808 Hill Meadow Drive • Austin, Texas 78736**

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Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Check/cc: \_\_\_\_\_ Entered by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_