



**IMPORTANT:**

(1) PLEASE REVIEW THE [GUIDELINES](#) FOR MEMBER SELECTION AND THE ACCOMPANYING [COMMENTARY](#) BEFORE COMPLETING THIS PROPOSAL. (You will find those materials under the “Membership” caption on ACREL’s private home page.)

(2) THE NOMINEE’S RESUME INCLUDING DETAILED GIVEBACK INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETE AND WRITTEN MATERIALS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO ASSURE FULL CONSIDERATION OF YOUR NOMINEE.

(3) THIS PROPOSAL MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY LETTERS FROM TWO MEMBERS SECONDING THE PROPOSAL AND WHO INDEPENDENTLY CERTIFY THAT THEY HAVE PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN. Unless the state has ten or fewer Fellows, or the nominee is a full-time professor of law, at least one of the proposer or seconding Fellows must be a practitioner in the same state as the nominee.

To the Chair of the Member Selection Committee:

1. Proposal. I hereby propose \_\_\_\_\_

who practices law at \_\_\_\_\_

(Firm or Entity)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address)

\_\_\_\_\_,  
(City)

\_\_\_\_\_,  
(State)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Phone)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Email)

for membership in the American College of Real Estate Lawyers.

2. Qualifications of Nominee. The nominee:

(a) is a distinguished practitioner;

(b) is licensed to practice in the highest court of the state of \_\_\_\_\_;

(c) has had substantial experience in real estate law or a subspecialty thereof for a period of not less than 10 years and devotes not less than approximately \_\_\_\_\_% of his/her time to the practice of real estate law. His/her particular specialty in the area is \_\_\_\_\_; and

(d) is known to me to be a person of good moral character and reputation.

3. Resume. A detailed resume of qualifications evidencing the standards for admission to the College, all as known to me, accompanies this Proposal. **(Please be certain that the resume conforms to the required ACREL format and that the resume is comprehensive in describing all organizations, publications and presentations, with the dates of the nominee’s activities, that demonstrate the candidate’s qualifications. One or more examples of written materials must be attached as separate**

documents, or links provided. This information should be obtained from the nominee if necessary to ensure that it is complete.)

4. Certification as to Qualifications for Admission. I certify that in my opinion the nominee possesses all of the qualifications required for membership in the College, including the requirement that the nominee has “given back” by devoting substantial time and effort to add to a more informed bar or public with respect to matters of real estate law, and to improve real estate practice and real estate law by teaching, writing, working in the organized bar, acting in connection with the adoption of legislation or otherwise performing public service. **This proposal is accompanied by a letter or other detailed statement of my knowledge of (i) the nominee’s status as a distinguished real property law practitioner who is well known as a specialist in real estate law or a real estate subspecialty and who enjoys an outstanding reputation for excellence and integrity in the practice of law, and (ii) the nominee’s “giveback.”**

5. No Conflict of Interest per Section 3 of the Guidelines. I AM NOT RELATED TO THE NOMINEE BY BIRTH OR BY MARRIAGE. I AM NOT IN THE SAME FIRM, BUSINESS ENTITY, FACULTY OR OTHER ORGANIZATION OF THE NOMINEE. EXCEPT AS DISCLOSED BELOW, NEITHER THE NOMINEE NOR HIS/HER EMPLOYER REGULARLY EMPLOYS OR RETAINS ME OR MY COLLEAGUES, AND MY BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, WITH THE NOMINEE IS AS FOLLOWS:

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6. Other Proposals Per Nomination. **I HAVE NOT PROPOSED ANY OTHER NOMINEE FOR MEMBERSHIP WITH RESPECT TO THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR THIS YEAR OTHER THAN \_\_\_\_\_ (INSERT “NONE” IF NONE).**

7. Prior Nominations. Has the nominee previously been nominated for membership?  
\_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_ yes

8. Nomination. I am a Regular Member, in good standing, of the American College of Real Estate Lawyers, and maintain my principal office at:

Firm or Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name)

Submit this proposal by **November 3, 2017** via email to [membersselection@acrel.org](mailto:membersselection@acrel.org) to the ACREL Office.