



Orange County Bar Association

HELP-Line

Hotline to Experienced Legal Professionals

The HELP-Line is available only to OCBA attorney members. Inquiring members are put in touch with experienced volunteer lawyers by telephone to answer questions on legal matters. This service is free of charge to all OCBA attorney members. For more information, contact the OCBA Membership department at (949) 440-6700 x384.

HAVE A LEGAL QUESTION?

In anticipation of your need to consult with a HELP-Line attorney, please sign and return this disclaimer. It will be kept on file to facilitate your inquiries during the year. After returning this form to the OCBA, you may request a referral to an experienced attorney by calling (949) 440-6700 x384.

As an inquiring attorney, I understand that:

1. I must be a member in good standing of the Orange County Bar Association;
2. The Orange County Bar Association, in sponsoring and administering the HELP-Line program, together with the HELP-Line panel attorneys, is merely rendering a benefit to the legal profession generally;
3. The HELP-Line panel members serve on a volunteer basis and any inquiring attorney should therefore be careful not to involve the HELP-Line attorney in prolonged discussions;
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Date: _____ California State Bar Number: _____

Name (please print): _____

Signature: _____

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