CERTIFICATION FOR STUDENT PRACTICE FORM

Complete the student and supervising lawyer sections and provide the completed form to the dean of your law school. Once all sections are complete, file the form with the clerk of the South Dakota Supreme Court and secretary of the Board of Bar Examiners pursuant to SDCL 16-18-2.3.

Student Name: _____

Address:_____

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Phone number: _____

Law School: _____

LAW STUDENT CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 16-18-2.2, I do hereby certify that I have read and am familiar with the South Dakota Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of South Dakota, the provisions of SDCL Title 16, and the provisions of SDCL 19-19-502, inclusive, and I agree to govern my conduct accordingly.

Signature of Student: _____ Date: _____

SUPERVISING LAWYER CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SDCL 16-18-2.9

Pursuant to SDCL 16-18-2.9, I hereby certify that I am a member of the South Dakota bar, in good standing and that I am willing to assume personal professional responsibility for the above-named law student.

Signature of Supervising Lawyer: _____

(Printed): _____ Date: _____

Supervising Lawyer's Law Firm: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

DEAN'S CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to SDCL 16-18-2.2, I, as dean of the law school at which the above-named student is enrolled, do certify that the student is of good moral character and competent legal ability, and has been adequately trained to perform as a legal intern, extern, or pathway program participant. This certification is valid beginning from _____ until _____ or one of the conditions of SDCL 16-18-2.3 occurs.

Signature of Dean: _____

(Printed): _____ Date: _____

Law School: _____

This certification to practice is valid until such time as the Board announces the results of the first bar examination following the student's graduation or the term set forth by the dean, whichever is earlier, and may be withdrawn by the dean of the law school or terminated by the South Dakota Supreme Court or the South Dakota Board of Bar Examiners.