



Request for the American College of Trial Lawyers to issue an Amicus Brief

When you complete the questionnaire, please list each question, followed by your answer. A completed example is attached.

PART I – CASE INFORMATION

1. Name of the Case:
2. Date ACTL's Amicus Brief must be filed:
3. Court in which ACTL's Amicus Brief will be filed:
4. Party in support of whom ACTL's Amicus Brief will be filed:
5. Name of the individual person to contact with questions concerning potential ACTL submission:
6. Name of person or persons who have agreed to author ACTL's Amicus Brief:
7. Brief statement of the facts:
8. Exact procedural status of the case?
9. Is there a written opinion being appealed? If so, please attach.
10. What are the issues being appealed, or, what issues has the court agreed to hear?
11. What are the key points that it is important that ACTL brief and why is each important? (Please list)
12. Why is it important that ACTL brief these issues in this case? What is the specific significance of this case?
13. Who was trial counsel for all parties?
14. Who is writing the appellate brief for the side being supported?
15. Are any opposing briefs available? (attach)
16. Will the party whose position ACTL is being asked to support agree to ACTL's participation in this case?
17. What other amici on either side have agreed to brief this case?

PART II – PROCEDURE FOR FILING BRIEF

18. Please attach a copy of the Court's Rules pertaining to amici and summarize rules.

PART III – YOUR INFORMATION

Submitted by:

Name:

Firm:

Address, City and State:

Telephone, Fax, E-Mail Address:

Date: