



## CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING Request Instructions

A Certificate of Good Standing is available to Active members and Voluntary Inactive members of the State Bar of Michigan who have paid annual membership dues for the current year, who are not resigned, involuntary inactive, suspended or prohibited from practicing or holding themselves out as an attorney, and who are not subject to pending disciplinary proceedings in Michigan or another jurisdiction. Certificates of Good Standing are also available to Emeritus members who are not subject to pending disciplinary proceedings in Michigan or another jurisdiction.

If you do not meet the above criteria and need further documentation, please contact Member Services at (888) SBM-ForU.

### STEP ONE: CHOOSE THE CORRECT FORM

OPTION 1: I need a Certificate of Good Standing in 3-5 business days through the U.S. Mail, [click here](#):

OPTION 2: I need a Certificate of Good Standing rushed (same day or 1 business day, additional fees apply), [click here](#):

### PLEASE NOTE:

- Paperwork stating your certificate needs to come “from the highest court” requires you to obtain a certificate from the Michigan Supreme Court Clerk’s Office. You can access their form at <http://courts.mi.gov/courts/michigansupremecourt/clerks/pages/attorney-certification.aspx>
- Requests for Disciplinary History, can be obtained from Attorney Discipline Board website at <http://www.adbmich.org/CertDiscHistory.pdf>.
- Certificate requests for **corporations** are handled by the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Corporation Division. They can be reached at (517) 241-6470 or access their form at [https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334\\_61343\\_35413\\_36736---,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-89334_61343_35413_36736---,00.html)