



PECHANGA BAND OF INDIANS
JUDICIAL BRANCH

Full name of applicant (First, middle, last)

Applicant's Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

**B.A.R. APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO
PRACTICE IN PECHANGA TRIBAL COURTS**
(All Attorneys & Advocates must complete application)

Application No.: _____
(To be completed by Court Clerk)

CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY TO BE ADMITTED

- Must be at least twenty-one (21) years of age;
- Must possess at least a high school diploma or G.E.D. equivalent;
- Must have paid all required fees prior to admission into this Court; and
- Must not have been disciplined, disbarred, sanctioned, nor suspended from practice before any Court, department, bureau, nor commission of the United States, nor of any Indian Tribe, State, Commonwealth, Territory, Possession, nor the District of Columbia; nor received any public/private reprimands. *(Applicants with a disciplinary record might be considered on a case-by-case basis.)*

INFORMATION ABOUT APPLICANT

- 1) Print your name as you want shown on Certificate(if applicable): _____
- 2) Mailing address: _____

- 3) Applicant's Phone: _____
- 4) Name of Firm (if applicable): _____
- 5) Address of Firm (if applicable): _____
- 6) Office Phone (if applicable) _____
- 7) Email: _____
- 8) Federal Courts to which you are admitted to practice, and date(s) of admission.

Court	Date Admitted

9) Tribal Courts to which you are admitted to practice, and date(s) of admission.

Court	Date Admitted

10) State Courts to which you are admitted to practice, and date(s) of admission

Court	Date Admitted

11) Are you engaged in the practice of law? (*circle one*) YES / NO

12) State the nature of your practice, whether by self, in partnership, or associated with or employed by others, giving the name of the firm or employer.

13) List firms or other entities with which you have been formerly associated, or by which you have been formerly associated, or by which you have been employed, as a lawyer.

Firm or Entity	Length of Time with Firm or Entity

14) Undergraduate and legal education and when and where degrees were received (or high school education/G.E.D. and when and where degrees were received):

Name of School	Type of Degree

15) (a) Have you ever been disciplined, disbarred sanctioned, or suspended from practice before any Court, department, bureau, or commission of the United States, or of any Indian Tribe, State, Commonwealth, Territory, Possession, or the District of Columbia; or have you received any public or private reprimands from any such entity pertaining to your conduct as a member of the BAR? (*circle one*) YES / NO

(b) Are there any disciplinary proceedings presently pending against you? (*circle one*) YES / NO

(c) Have you ever been denied admission to the BAR of any Court or an entity described in question 15(a)? (*circle one*) YES / NO

(d) Have you ever been convicted of a crime (other than a traffic violation)? (*circle one*) YES / NO

- If you answered yes to any question from 15(a)-(d), then you must provide a detailed explanation on a separate sheet and attach any relevant documentation concerning your answer.
- 16)** Please provide a brief description of any past experience in practicing law in Indian Country. If none, then please provide a brief description of your competency in Federal Indian law.

17) Are you willing to complete at least three (3) hours or more of Continuing Legal Education specific to Federal Indian Law, Policies, and the Pechanga Band? *(circle one)* YES / NO

18) Which area(s) of the law will you practice in Pechanga Tribal Courts? *(check appropriate answers)*

☐ Pechanga Employment Claims (PECA) / ☐ Family (FA) / ☐ Indian Child Welfare (ICW) /

☐ Tribal Business Leases / ☐ Eminent Domain

CERTIFICATION

I, _____, certify that I have read the foregoing questions
Full name of applicant (First, middle, last)
and I have answered them truthfully to my own knowledge.

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

(Applicant's Signature)

OATH OF ADMISSION

(Only complete if granted admission and are presently before the Tribal Court Chief Judge)

I, _____, hereby swear that as an attorney and as a
Full name of applicant (First, middle, last)
counselor of this Court I will conduct myself uprightly and in accordance to the laws,
customs, and traditions of the Pechanga Band of Indians.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this

____ day of _____, 20____

Judge Jack Duran, Tribal Court Chief
Judge