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NORTH DAKOTA DEFENSE LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

Excellence in Civil Litigation



## **About NDDLA**

The North Dakota Defense Lawyers Association is the premier association of lawyers in North Dakota who devote a substantial portion of their professional practice to the representation of business, corporate, insurance, professional, and other individual defendants in civil matters. NDDLA is dedicated to the administration of justice, the enhancement of the civil justice system and service to the civil defense bar.

#### **Our Mission Statement**

The North Dakota Defense Lawyers Association is an association of North Dakotalicensed lawyers involved in the defense of civil litigation. Our mission is to enhance the knowledge, skill, and professionalism of civil defense lawyers; to address issues relative to civil defense lawyers, the public and the civil justice system; to provide for the exchange among NDDLA members of information, trial techniques and procedure; and to support improving the civil justice system.

### **Membership Benefits**

Membership in the North Dakota Defense Lawyers Association is available to lawyers in good standing who are engaged in the practice of law in the State of North Dakota and who are primarily engaged in the defense of civil actions. Associate membership may be available to individual lawyers who do not meet the other qualifications for membership. Membership in NDDLA does not indicate any certification or expertise in a field or fields of law, or quality or competency of any lawyer.

- Networking with fellow professionals actively engaged in the defense of civil actions
- Information sharing
- **CLE** seminars

### Annual Dues

Member of the Bar \$100 Retired Member \$50

# Defense Research Institute (DRI)

The NDDLA is affiliated with the Defense Research Institute (DRI), which is the national organization of defense trial lawyers and corporate counsel. DRI is committed to enhancing the skills, effectiveness and professionalism of defense lawyers; to addressing issues germane to defense lawyers and the civil justice system; to promoting appreciation of the role of the civil defense lawyer; and to improving the civil justice system and preserving the civil jury.

#### About DRI

DRI is the leading organization of defense and in-house attorneys counsel. Membership in DRI provides access to resources and tools for attorneys who strive to provide high-quality, balanced and excellent service to their clients and corporations. DRI is host to more than 25 substantive committees whose focus is to develop ongoing and critical dialogue about areas of practice. DRI provides access to resources and tools to grow your practice - members can search a database of more than 65,000 experts, attend renowned CLE seminars. conferences and webcasts. network with 22.000+ like-minded defense practitioners and more.