Participation Agreement

I, _____________________________________, a participant in the New Hampshire Bar Association Mentor Advice Program accept and agree to the following rules for participation:

1. The mentoring relationship is solely for educational purposes and professional guidance. Information provided by the Mentor does not constitute legal advice to the Advisee and/or the Advisee’s clients.
2. Communication between the Mentor and Advisee does not create an attorney client relationship between Mentor and Advisee, nor between Mentor and Advisee’s clients.
3. The Mentor and the New Hampshire Bar Association do not assume any responsibility to the Advisee’s clients for legal services performed by the Advisee.
4. Neither the Mentor nor the New Hampshire Bar Association has any responsibility to supervise or evaluate the work of the Advisee and make no assurances regarding the quality of the Advisee’s legal work.
5. Advisee agrees not to ask Mentor for case specific advice. Any legal problems will be discussed in a general, hypothetical manner.
7. Mentor and Advisee agree to commit to a mentoring period of six months with the option to renew by mutual agreement for up to three additional six month terms.
8. Participants shall complete a brief program evaluation form at the end of each six month term.
9. In the event that either party is unable to complete the six month term, the parties shall notify the program coordinator.
10. Mentor and Advisee agree to abide by the Participation Agreement. Signed agreements will be kept on file by the program coordinator.

I have read the Participation Agreement and agree to comply with the stated rules. I understand that failure to follow the rules is grounds for, and may result in, removal from the Mentor Advice Program.

________________________________________________  __________________________
Signature        Date

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Printed Name

Please return signed agreement to: Member Services Coordinator, Misty Griffith, mgriffith@nhbar.org
or mail to Mentor Advice Program NHBA 2 Pillsbury St., Suite 300, Concord, NH 03301