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**If you wish to request, or recommend, Atlantic Legal Foundation amicus support in a particular appeal, we request that you complete this form. Please use as much space as needed. The completed form should be emailed to Lawrence S. Ebner, Executive Vice President & General Counsel, Atlantic Legal Foundation (****lawrence.ebner@atlanticlegal.org****).**

**Except in extenuating circumstances, amicus support requests must be received at least 45 days prior to the date when an amicus brief would be due.**

**1. Date:**

**2. Name of attorney or party requesting or recommending amicus support:**

**3. Contact information (email & phone):**

**4. Do you represent the party requesting amicus support? If not, who does?**

**5. Opposing counsel’s name & firm:**

**6. Is opposing counsel likely to consent to the filing of an amicus brief?**

**7. Case caption (list all parties if possible), appellate court, & docket number:**

**8. Opinion or ruling being appealed (please attach copy & provide citation if**

 **available):**

**9. Alignment of party requesting amicus support (e.g., petitioner; plaintiff-**

 **appellant; defendant-appellee):**

**10. When is the proposed amicus brief due?**

**11. If the proposed amicus brief is due in less than 45 days, what are the circumstances that prevented this request from being submitted at least 45 days in advance?**

**12. Is this an interlocutory appeal?**

**13. Is the appeal as of right, or discretionary?**

**14. Please provide a brief summary of the case & its disposition in the lower court:**

**15. What are the questions presented or legal issues on appeal?**

**16. What specific legal issues and/or subjects would be most helpful for the Atlantic Legal Foundation to address in an amicus brief, and why?**

**17. Please identify other amici or prospective amici and the issues and/or subjects they are expected to address:**

**18. How likely is this case to be settled prior to completion of the appeal?**

**19. Are you aware of any other pending or forthcoming appeals in the same court, or in other appellate courts, involving the same questions presented or legal issues?**

**20. Please provide any additional information that might be helpful to the Atlantic Legal Foundation in deciding whether to provide amicus support:**

**Thank you for requesting or recommending Atlantic Legal Foundation amicus support. We will let you know as soon as possible whether the Foundation has decided to file.**

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