UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA



BAR MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

A GUIDE FOR LAWYERS

Middle District of Florida Bar Membership Renewal

Under Local Rule 2.01(b)(2)(A) and administrative order, <u>3:24-mc-20-MMH, doc 28</u>, the next periodic renewal period for members of the Middle District of Florida Bar begins on June 2, 2025.

Renewal Period Details:

- June 2, 2025, through August 31, 2025 renewal period with a \$50.00 renewal fee.
- September 1, 2025, through September 30, 2025 \$100.00 renewal fee (\$50.00 renewal fee plus \$50.00 late fee).
- Lawyers failing to pay a membership renewal fee by September 30, 2025 must <u>reapply for</u> <u>general admission</u> (\$224 admission fee).
- Members of the Middle District's Bar who were admitted (or readmitted) on or after March 1, 2025, and lawyers admitted under <u>Local Rule 2.01(c)</u>, <u>Special Admission</u>, are not required to pay the renewal fee.
- Click here for step-by-step instructions on how to pay the renewal fee.
- Click <u>here</u> for instructions to obtain a renewal fee receipt number.

Pay Membership Renewal Fee

1. Go to CM/ECF for the Middle District of Florida at: <u>https://ecf.flmd.uscourts.gov.</u>Click the "Middle District of Florida-Document Filing System" hyperlink.



2. Log in to CM/ECF using your PACER credentials. If you do not know your PACER credentials, you must contact <u>PACER</u> for assistance.

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Username *	
Password *	•••••
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This is a restricted gr	overnment website for official PACER use only. All
activities of PACERs	subscribers or users of this system for any purpose,
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authorized by the fee	deral judiciary for improper use, protection of system
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the judiciary of its sy	stems. By subscribing to PACER, users expressly
consent to system n	nonitoring and to official access to data reviewed and
created by them on t	the system. If evidence of unlawful activity is
discovered, including	; unauthorized access attempts, it may be reported to
law enforcement off	icials.

3. Review and accept the redaction agreement.



4. Under the Utilities menu, select FLMD Membership Renewal.



5. Under Available Events, click on "FLMD Membership Renewal" to move it under Selected Event.

CMMECF Civil - Criminal - Query Reports - Utilities -				
FLMD Membership Renewal				
Start typing to find an event.				
Available Events (click to select an event) Selected Event				
FLMD Membership Renewal				
Next Clear				
CMmECF Civil - Criminal - Query Reports - Utilities - Search				
FLMD Membership Renewal				
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Next Clear				

6. Click **Next** on the verification screen.



7. Review the next prompt and answer **Yes or No**.

Note: Current members of the Middle District's Bar who were recently admitted (or readmitted) on or after March 1, 2025, and lawyers admitted under <u>Local Rule 2.01(c)</u>, <u>Special Admission</u>, are not required to pay the renewal fee.

FLMD Membership Renewal
8:25-mc-02025 FLMD Membership Renewal Fees
Were you admitted to the Bar of the Middle District of Florida on March 1, 2025 or later?
OR
Are you appearing Pro Hac Vice?
○ Yes
Next Clear

8. Review and answer each certification question.

FLMD Membership Renewal 8:25-mc-02025 FLMD Membership Renewal Fees
Are you an active member in good standing with the Bar of the Middle District of Florida and an active member in good standing with the Florida Bar? Yes No
Since the 2020 renewal period, have you been disbarred, censured, or denied admission by the Supreme Court of Florida, or by another court of competent jurisdiction? Yes No
Since the 2020 renewal period, have you been convicted of a felony? Yes No
Do you confirm that you have read and will comply with the Federal Rules of Evidence, the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the Local Rules of the Middle District of Florida, and 28 U.S.C. section 1927? Yes No
Do you confirm that you remain bound by the Oath of Admission in the general admission application? Yes No
Next Clear

9. Review the Attorney Certification and click **Next**.

FLMD Membership Renewal 8:25-mc-02025 FLMD Membership Renewal Fees ATTORNEY CERTIFICATION - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY: By answering the certification questions on the previous screen, you declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Under the Rules of this Court, I hereby renew my membership in the Bar of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida for a 60-month period beginning September 1, 2025.

Next Clear

10. Review the warning and click Next.



11. Enter or select an existing payment method.

Account Number				
Username				
Account Balance	\$0.00			
Case Search Status	Active			
Account Type	Upgraded PACER Account			
Pay Filing Fee for Florid	a Middle District Court(test)			
* Required Information				
Payment Amount				
Amount Due*	\$50.00			
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	Next Cancel			

12. Review the payment summary.

Enter the attorney's name and the name and contact information of the person completing the transaction.

Enter an e-mail address to obtain an e-mailed receipt.

Check the authorization and click **Submit**. Allow the system to push you back to CM/ECF.

Court Specific			
Attorney Name * Firm Name Name of Person Completing Transaction * Contact Phone Number *			
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13. Review warning and click Next.



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14. Review the final docket text and click **Next**.



15. Sample Notice of Electronic Filing.

FLMD Membe	rship Renewal			
8:25-mc-02025 FLMD Membership Renewal Fees				
	U.S. District Court [TEST]			
	Middle District of Florida [TEST]			
Notice of Electr	onic Filing			
The following tran and filed on 4/29/2	usaction was entered by Bott, Carol on 4/29/2025 at 9:00 AM EDT 2025			
Case Name:	FLMD Membership Renewal Fees			
Case Number:	<u>8:25-mc-02025</u>			
Filer:				
Document Numb	er: 20(No document attached)			
Docket Text: FLMD MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FEE paid for dates of September 1, 2025 to August 31, 2030 for lawyer Carol Bott, Florida Bar Number 562389, in the amount of \$50, receipt number AFLMXDC-402443. (Bott, Carol)				
8:25-mc-02025 No electronic notice will be sent.				

Internet Payment History Report

Use the **Internet Payment History** report to review payments and obtain a receipt number for payments made in the Middle District of Florida through CM/ECF and pay.gov.

1. Log into CM/ECF for the Middle District using your PACER credentials. Under the **Utilities** menu, select the **Internet Payment History** report.

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Bar Admission	Certificate of Good Standing - Electronic PDF			
Change PACER Exemption Status	Certificate of Good Standing - Original With Raised			
Maintain Your Account	Seal			
Maintain Your Address				
Maintain Your E-mail	FLMD Bar Members Only			
View Your Transaction Log	FLMD Membership Renewal			
Change Client Code				
Link a CM/ECF account to my PACER	Miscellaneous			
account	Internet Payment History			
`	Legal Research			
Your Account	Mailings			
Review Billing History	Verify a Document			

2. Adjust the date range.

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3. Review the report.

U.S. District Court [TEST] Middle District of Florida [TEST] Internet Payment History for Bott, Carol June 4/17/2025 to 4/17/2025					
Case no.	Case no. Date Paid Description Payment Method Receipt # Amount				
<u>8:25-</u> <u>mc-02025</u>	2025-04-17 14:00:45	FLMD Membership Renewal Fee(<u>8:25-mc-02025</u>) [misc attrenew] (50.00)	cr card	AFLMXDC-402067	\$ 50.00

Revision Log

Date	Comments	Ву
5/5/25	Updated for the 2025 renewal period.	NAS
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