

Name of Individual/Organization: _____ Primary Contact: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____ Website: _____

Briefly describe your online publishing activities, including the extent to which your activities are currently in progress:

Do you operate as a formal business entity, such as a nonprofit, LLC, or corporation?

Yes/No _____ If so, which kind? _____ In which state? _____

Briefly describe your legal problem/question. If necessary, you may attach an additional sheet of paper to complete this section. Please be as detailed as necessary while excluding details that you believe should be kept confidential:

How did you hear about us? _____

CERTIFICATION

Please complete the following certification. I understand that:

(1) No attorney-client relationship or promise to perform legal services exists between myself and the Online Media Legal Network, Citizen Media Law Project, or the Berkman Center for Internet & Society (collectively, "OMLN"), and/or any of the attorneys employed by the OMLN;

(2) The purpose of any preliminary communications between myself and the OMLN is to help make a referral to an outside attorney or law school clinic, not to provide me with direct legal advice or assistance;

(3) I am under no obligation to retain the attorney or attorneys referred to me by the OMLN, and I am free to seek legal assistance outside the network;

(4) The OMLN may share any information that I provide on this form or in other communications (with the exception of financial information used by the OMLN to determine my eligibility for pro bono representation) with outside attorneys or law school clinics for the purpose of trying to secure representation for me, and may request my permission to share information regarding my request for assistance with attorneys, legal clinics or the public for the purpose of promoting awareness of the OMLN's services;

(5) The OMLN cannot guarantee that it will be able to refer me to an outside attorney or law school clinic or otherwise secure legal representation for me;

(6) The OMLN does not make any representations or guarantees about the quality of legal assistance that any attorneys or law school clinics in the network may provide or the outcome of any referral; and

(7) If a referral is made, I will be represented by the referred attorney or law school clinic, not the OMLN.

Signature (type name for electronic signature)

Date

Please return this form to:

OMLN Staff at legalhelp@omln.org or fax to 617.495.7641
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