ANDERSON "ANDY" D. CROMER ANDERSON CROMER MEDIATION SERVICES RESIDENT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE (RETIRED)

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Personals: November 30, 1953; Married to Lisa V. Menefee, Former Chief District Court Judge, Forsyth County, NC.

Education: Wake Forest University B.A. 1976; Wake Forest University Law School J.D. 1982 *cum laude*; Superior Court Mediation Training, Anderson Little, Instructor - Certificate

Admitted: North Carolina, 1982; Virginia, 1983 (Presently inactive); United States Supreme Court; 4th and 6th Cir. Ct. of Appeals; US Dist. Cts: M.D.N.C., W.D.Va., E.D.Va.

Present Employment: Anderson Cromer Mediation Services

Since January 2019, Anderson Cromer mediated hundreds of civil matters in all stages of litigation; served as either sole arbitrator or member of panel of arbitrators in deciding numerous civil disputes; and was appointed as Special Master in a federal case involving a global settlement of several cases in western North Carolina.

Past Judicial Employment: Sr. Resident North Carolina Superior Court Judge (2017-2018); Resident (2003-2016) Judicial District 17B (Stokes and Surry). Presided over more than 600 jury trials. Designated routinely by Chief Justice of NC Supreme Court to oversee, manage, and preside over Rule 2.1 Exceptional Cases. Served as principal judicial contact in North Carolina for insuring settlements of Paxil federal multi-district litigation product liability cases satisfied North Carolina law (Global Settlement).

Past Professional Employment: Law Clerk, Hon. James C. Turk, (U.S. Dist. Ct, W.D.Va, 1982-83); Associate, Woods, Rogers & Hazlegrove, Roanoke Va (1983-86); Partner, Stover, Cromer & Bennett, King, NC (1986-88, 94-99); Associate: Womble Carlyle (now Womble Bond & Dickinson), Winston-Salem, NC (1988-94); Sole Practitioner, Anderson D. Cromer, P.C. (1999-2002)

Experience as Attorney: Trial lawyer and Litigator; representing Plaintiffs and Defendants in civil matters in 4th and 6th US Cir. Ct. of Appeals, US District Courts in NC and VA; All State Courts NC and VA; Personal Injury, Products Liability, Insurance Defense, Complex litigation. Represented Fortune 500 companies as well as Legal Aide referrals. Represented Defendants in criminal courts in NC and VA; Privately prosecuted in NC.