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# YOUR GUIDE TO MEDIATION

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### WHAT IS MEDIATION?

Mediation is a way for people to resolve their disputes with the assistance of a neutral third party who is professionally trained in conflict resolution techniques.

Mediation provides people an opportunity to explore ways of settling disputes between themselves and to the satisfaction of all parties.

Mediation can provide an alternative to expensive court actions. It can also be used to prevent needless escalation of conflict in the workplace or the home.

Mediation is a voluntary and confidential process of problem-solving in which the parties to a dispute build their own solution with the professional assistance of a mediator.

A professional mediator is trained to identify the dynamics of conflict and how to manage the mediation process and assist parties to respectfully explore possible options to resolve their disputes outside of court.

Call us to discuss whether mediation is appropriate to your circumstances.





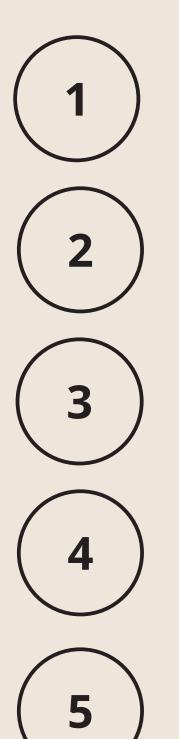
### THE MEDIATOR'S ROLE

The mediator is responsible for managing a voluntary process of facilitated negotiation between the parties to a dispute ("mediation").

The mediator is responsible for:

- Ensuring a safe, neutral environment for respectful discussion of the issues the parties bring to the mediation;
- Ensuring each party has the opportunity to explain their objectives, needs and wishes;
- Assisting the parties to explore options for a mutually satisfactory outcome to the dispute;
- Maintaining the confidentiality of what is said during the mediation process.

### FIVE THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT MEDIATION



#### VOLUNTARY

Both parties must agree to participate in mediation.

#### CONFIDENTIAL

The information you share with the mediator remains confidential.

#### CHEAPER THAN COURT

Mediation is less expensive than litigating disputes through the courts.

#### SIMPLER AND FASTER PROCESS

The mediation process is simpler and faster than going to court to resolve a dispute.

#### PARTIES HAVE MORE CONTROL

Mediation provides the parties more control over the outcome of their dispute because both parties must agree to any settlement. Un like court, an outcome is not imposed.

## THANK YOU FOR READING!



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