



**NEW YORK STATE UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM
OFFICE OF COURT ADMINISTRATION**

**Language Interpreter Certifications and Credentials
Accepted by the New York State Courts**

Examination Waiver/Reciprocity Form

I hereby request that the Office of Court Administration of the New York State Unified Court System grant me an examination waiver and/or registration reciprocity.

Request for Reciprocity

- I have Federal Court Interpreter Certification through the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts.

Language: _____
Certification Number: _____ Date Issued: _____

- I am certified as a Court Interpreter in the State of _____. This state is a member of the Consortium for State Court Interpreter Certification and I have successfully passed a consortium-administered examination developed by the National Center for State Courts, having obtained a minimum score of 80% on the Written Test and a minimum score of 70% on each section of the Oral Performance Test.

Language: _____
Certification Number: _____ Date Issued: _____

- I have National Judiciary Interpreter and Translator Certification (NJITC) in Spanish through the National Association of Judicial Interpreters and Translators (NAJIT).

Certification Number: _____ Date Issued: _____

- I have certification through the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) for the State of California having passed both a written English fluency examination and an oral examination. I have been registered with the Judicial Council and placed on the "Master List of Certified Interpreters of Designated (tested) Languages."

Language: _____
Certification Number: _____ Date Issued: _____

Waiver for the Written English Proficiency Examination

- I am seeking a waiver of New York’s written English proficiency examination based upon having passed an English proficiency test administered through one of the following four credentialing authorities: Please Check.
 - FCICE
 - National Consortium
 - NAJIT
 - Judicial Council of California

Date and location of exam: _____ Examination Score: ____

- I am seeking a waiver of New York’s written English proficiency examination based upon having obtained a minimum score of 90 on the TOEFL iBT (internet version) introduced in 2005 and administered by the Educational Testing Service.

Date and location of examination: _____
TOEFL iBt Score: _____

- I am seeking a waiver of New York’s written English proficiency examination based upon having obtained a minimum score of 7 on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).

Date and location of examination: _____
IELTS Score: _____

For All Applicants:

Enclosed is a copy of my examination results, certificate and/or credentials for purposes of verification and the granting of examination reciprocity. I affirm that the information provided on this form (including any attached papers) is true.

Signature of Applicant

Print Last Name First Name

Address City, State & Zip

Phone Number (include area code) email Address

Return this form and copies of attached documents to:

Office of Language Access
Office of Court Administration
New York State Unified Court System
25 Beaver St, 8th Floor
New York, NY 10004