

**AWARD NOMINATION FORM**

In order to nominate an individual for one of the awards, please complete this form and return it to the Pennsylvania Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (PACDL) no later than **March 1, 2017**. Please be specific when explaining why your nominee deserves one of the awards. Your submission should include an explanation of the future-focused leadership demonstrated by the individual, the positive impact on the association and the practice of criminal defense, and how the nominee's activities exemplify the ideals of the association. You may include written letters of support from family, friends and others as well as supplemental materials such as newspaper articles to support the individual's nomination.

Please submit this form and other supporting materials, if any, to the Pennsylvania Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers. Receipt of your nomination form will be confirmed via reply email. PACDL contact information is as follows:

Email: [pacdl@pacdl.org](mailto:pacdl@pacdl.org)

Fax: 717.234.7462

Mail: PACDL, 115 State Street, 1st Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17101

**Nominee Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Award Category (check one)

The Liberty Award

President's and Directors' Commendation

The Charles P. Gelso Award

The Alan Jay Josel Advocacy Award

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons for Nominating Candidate \_\_\_\_\_

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Participation on Committees \_\_\_\_\_

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Offices Held at the State and National Levels \_\_\_\_\_  
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Qualities of the candidate that make the individual worthy of the award \_\_\_\_\_  
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Other Activities of Special Merit \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Nominator Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes, I authorize the release of the nomination and the letters of support to the nominee if selected as the recipient of the award.
- No, I do not authorize the release of the nomination or the supporting materials to the nominee if selected as the recipient of the award.