University of Mississippi School of Law Residency Checklist

ALL residency requirements must be met on or before the last day to add or drop for the semester as listed on the academic calendar. The following are required:

# o <u>Completed, notarized residency application</u>

• Notary services are available in the Law Dean's Suite

# o Copy of valid Mississippi driver's license

### o Copy of Mississippi vehicle registration

 This document is required for the vehicle you use regularly in the state of Mississippi. If the vehicle is registered in a parent's or other individual's name, it CAN and MUST be registered in Mississippi.

# • Copy of voter registration card if registered to vote

# • Proof of 12 continuous months of PHYSICAL PRESENCE in the state of Mississippi

The following are acceptable:

- Enrollment in a summer class that meets for at least the period of June1-July 31<sup>st</sup>. You WILL NOT need to provide proof of Fall and Spring enrollment. We will have access to that information.
- Bank statements indicating consistent and routine transactions within the state of Mississippi (Redacted bank statements that show MS transactions). Vacations of a reasonable length (7-10 days in a given month) are understandable.
- Check stubs from an employer for the period of June 1<sup>st</sup> to July 31st showing MS taxes were withheld. Positions paid with cash or unpaid positions are not acceptable for the purposes of residency.
- Letter from MS employer (on letterhead) verifying dates of employment during the period of June 1st through July 31<sup>st</sup> (Reasonable inquiry may be made).
- ◊ A log record: Students may visit the Law Registrar's Office, present ID, and sign a log at least 3-4 times a week to prove evidence of physical presence in the state.

Note: Paying rent, lease agreements, property deeds, utility bills and sworn affidavits are NOT acceptable documents to prove physical presence in Mississippi.