



SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA  
**PENNSYLVANIA INTEREST ON  
 LAWYERS TRUST ACCOUNT BOARD**

***Platinum Leader Bank Seal Use Acknowledgement***

(1) The following acknowledgement is being submitted by the financial institution listed below in order to display the Platinum Leader Bank image seal (Platinum Leader Seal) which is provided by the Pennsylvania Interest on Lawyers Trust Account Board (PA IOLTA Board).

(2) The PA IOLTA Board is a nonprofit organization created by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court. The PA IOLTA Board holds the beneficial interest in the income generated by attorney IOLTA and Magisterial District Justice IOTA trust accounts. The Board makes grants to legal aid organizations that serve low income and disadvantaged Pennsylvanians.

(3) The PA IOLTA Board has established a voluntary “Platinum Leader Bank” program whereby financial institutions may choose to commit to providing a preferred interest rate to the IOLTA Board for IOLTA and MJ IOTA trust accounts which is above the minimum rate required for participation per the applicable rules and regulations. In recognition of the financial institutions that voluntarily choose to increase funding for these important grants through the interest provided on IOLTA and MJ IOTA accounts, the PA IOLTA Board publishes a list of Platinum Leader Banks online and makes the Platinum Leader Seal available for use by these banks as an electronic image file.

(4) The financial institution listed below understands that use of the Platinum Leader Seal is conditional on the financial institution adhering to the Platinum Leader Bank program requirements which are established by the Pennsylvania IOLTA Board and subject to change at any time without prior notice. The financial institution understands that the Platinum Leader Seal is not intended to be, and should not be communicated, construed, or used as, an endorsement of the financial institution by the PA IOLTA Board. Rather, the Platinum Leader Seal is being provided in recognition of the financial institution’s commitment to increase funding for legal aid through the Platinum Leader Bank program and may be used by the financial institution in communications or website materials pertaining to the institution’s involvement in the Platinum Leader Bank Program. In the event that the financial institution no longer participates in the Platinum Leader Program, the institution must cease displaying/using the Platinum Leader Seal. The financial institution may not alter the appearance of the Platinum Leader Seal (resizing is permitted as is minor formatting which does not alter the physical appearance of the seal). The Platinum Leader Bank image seal will be created by the PA IOLTA Board and reissued to the financial institution annually; however, the IOLTA Board may cease the creation of the image seal at any time without notice. The undersigned acknowledges that the financial institution will use the Platinum Leader Seal in accordance with the requirements described above.

<b>Financial Institution Name &amp; Headquarters Address:</b>					
<b>Authorized Employee Name:</b>				<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Authorized Employee Signature:</b>				<b>Date:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>		<b>Fax:</b>	

**\*\*Return this acknowledgement to: [paiolta@pacourts.us](mailto:paiolta@pacourts.us)**

SAMPLE OF PLATINUM LEADER BANK SEAL

The Platinum Leader Bank Seal is provided as a JPEG and PNG file:

