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RID is a national membership organization representing the professionals who facilitate communication between people who are deaf or hard of hearing and people who can hear. Interpreters serve as professional communicators in a vast array of settings such as: churches, schools, courtrooms, hospitals and theaters, as well as on political grandstands and television. RID has a tri-fold approach to the standards it maintains for membership: First RID strives to maintain strict adherence to a nationally recognized industry standard for testing. They also have a certified maintenance program for interpreters so that they may

continue their skill development. Thirdly, RID has an ethical practices system in conjunction with the National Association of the Deaf (NAD).

Listed below are links on the RID website for various topics:

Code of Professional Conduct: www.rid.org/ethics/code/index.cfm

Ethics Overview: www.rid.org/ethics/index.cfm

Education and Certification Overview: www.rid.org/education/index.cfm

Find Interpreter Education Programs: www.rid.org/acct-

app/index.cfm?action=search.ITP

Filing a Complaint Against Interpreter: www.rid.org/ethics/file_complaint/index.cfm

Find Interpreter Agency/Referral Service: www.rid.org/acct-

app/index.cfm?action=search.ISA

Hiring an Interpreter: <u>www.rid.org/interpreting/hiring/index.cfm</u>

Testing and Testing Process: www.rid.org/education/testing/index.cfm