

At its meeting on December 4, 2015, the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee adopted the following revisions to its Regulations. These revisions were published in the Connecticut Law Journal on December 22, 2015 and **become effective March 21, 2016**. Additions are signified by underlining; deletions are signified by strikeout.

ARTICLE V. EXAMINATIONS

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Art. V-7.

An applicant may sit for Part B in another jurisdiction as a part of the bar examination of that jurisdiction and transfer that Part B score to Connecticut. Upon election by the applicant prior to the administration of the examination, the committee will accept an applicant's concurrent Part B score or the applicant's Part B score from any of the three administrations of the MBE next preceding the administration during which the applicant sits for Part A of the examination. The election to sit for Part B of the examination in Connecticut, concurrently in another jurisdiction or to use a score from a prior administration of the MBE must be made in writing on a form provided by the Committee not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date of the examination for which the applicant has filed his or her application. If the Part B score is from a prior administration of the MBE, then the applicant must have been successful on each examination for which the score was originally achieved.

(A) An applicant who elects to use a Part B score as limited above must have a certificate of that Part B scaled score and of success on each examination for which the score was originally achieved sent directly to the administrative director by the other jurisdiction(s) or the Director of Testing of the National Conference of Bar Examiners on a form provided by the administrative director.

(B) It shall be the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the administrative director receives the certified report of the Part B score and of success on each examination for which the score was originally achieved in a timely manner.

(C) An applicant's transferred score on Part B shall be disclosed to him or her unless the transferring jurisdiction directs otherwise.

(D) Scores on Part A are not transferrable.

(E) An applicant taking the bar examination in Connecticut may request the certification of an MBE score earned in Connecticut to another jurisdiction. An applicant requesting certification of an MBE score earned in Connecticut to another jurisdiction must direct such request to the Committee's Administrative Office on a form provided by the Committee and pay the fee prescribed in Article X (8).

Art. V-8.

(a) In order for the examination to be graded when sitting for Part B in Connecticut or concurrently in another jurisdiction, the applicant must attend both sessions of Part A at the designated location in Connecticut and both sessions of Part B either in Connecticut or

concurrently in another jurisdiction as designated in his or her Connecticut application or in a timely amendment thereto filed in accordance with Article V-7. Any applicant who does not attend all four sessions of the examination will be deemed withdrawn from the examination and will not receive examination results.

(b) In order for the examination to be graded when using a Part B score from a previous administration, the applicant must attend both sessions of Part A at the designated location in Connecticut. Any applicant who does not attend both sessions of Part A will be deemed withdrawn from the examination and will not receive examination results.

(c) Except in extraordinary circumstances, applicants must remain in the examination room for the first hour of the examination.

(d) No applicant will be admitted to the examination more than 1 hour after the examination session begins. An applicant who fails to appear for one session of the examination shall not be admitted to a later session. Any applicant who is not present for both sessions of Part A will not be permitted to take Part B in Connecticut on the following day.