# RULES OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA APPENDIX A: SCHEDULE OF CHARGES AND DEADLINES

The Rules of the State Bar provide that "If a rule refers to the Schedule of Charges and Deadlines, the referenced date or amount is part of the rule." Unrevised rules state such amounts or dates in their text or otherwise indicate what they are.

Charges and deadlines are adopted by the Board of Trustees unless otherwise indicated.

Note: Charges are base amounts that may be increased as specified by rule or otherwise authorized by law.

#### ANNUAL LICENSING, NONCOMPLIANCE, REINSTATEMENT, AND MISCELLANEOUS REGULATION FEES

| Rule              | Description   | Amount                | Deadline   |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|--|
| Not<br>applicable | Initial compliance deadline for payment of fees and compliance with License Record, Civility Oath, CTAPP MCLE, and Fingerprinting requirements.                   |                       | February 1   |
| Not<br>applicable | Final deadline for payment of fees and compliance with License Record, Civility Oath, CTAPP MCLE, and Fingerprinting requirements.                                |                       | June 30  |
| 2.2(G)            | Licensee Record noncompliance   | \$100.00 <sup>2</sup> | February 1   |
| 2.2(H)            | Reinstatement fee to terminate Licensee<br>Record inactive enrollment   | \$300.00 <sup>2</sup> | At time reinstatement is requested   |
| 2.3(A)(1)         | Civility Oath noncompliance   | \$100.00 <sup>3</sup> | February 1   |
| 2.3(D)(1)         | Reinstatement fee to terminate Civility Oath inactive enrollment  | \$300.00 <sup>3</sup> | At time reinstatement is requested   |
| 2.5 (J)           | CTAPP noncompliance   | \$100.00              | February 1   |
|                   | Reinstatement fee to terminate CTAPP inactive enrollment  | \$300.00              | At time reinstatement is requested   |
| 2.11              | Annual fees at active rate  | \$510.00              | February 1   |
|                   | Annual fees at inactive rate  | \$182.40              | February 1   |
| 2.12              | (A) Admitted between January 1 and May 31   | \$510.00              | 45 days from invoice date  |
|                   | (B) Admitted between June 1 and November 30   | \$255.00              | 45 days from invoice date  |
|                   | (C) Administrative fee for admission in December  | None                  |  |
| 2.13              | Penalties for late payment of annual fees received at the State Bar <i>after February 1</i> .   |                       |  |
|                   | Billed at active rate   | \$100.00              | February 1   |
|                   | Billed at inactive rate   | \$30.00               | February 1   |
|                   | Attorneys admitted between Jan. 1 and May 31  | \$100.00              | 45 days from invoice date  |
|                   | Attorneys admitted between June 1 and Nov. 30   | \$50.00               | 45 days from invoice date  |
|                   | Penalty for nonconforming payments  | \$100.00              |  |
| 2.15              | (B) Scaling deadline for qualified active attorneys (25% reduction of base active fee of \$463.00)  | \$394.25              | Feb. 1 or 45 days from date of invoice if admitted between Jan. 1 and May 31 |
|                   | (C) Scaling deadline for qualified employers (25% reduction of base active fee of \$ 463.00)  | \$394.25              | February 1   |
| 2.16(C)(3)(c)     | Waiver for active attorneys with total gross<br>annual household income from all sources of<br>\$20,000 or less (50% reduction of base active<br>fee of \$463.00) | \$278.50              | February 1   |

| 2.31              | (A) Transfer to active status  | \$510.00   | For transfer at any time  |
|-------------------|--|--|---|
|                   | (B) Transfer to inactive status  | \$182.40   | February 1  |
| 2.33              | (C)(2) Reinstatement fee to terminate suspension for nonpayment <sup>4</sup> | \$100.00   | At time reinstatement is requested  |
| 2.55              | MCLE Education Modification (e-mod)  | \$100.00   | June 30   |
| 2.71; 2.90        | MCLE noncompliance   | \$100.00   | February 1  |
| 2.71; 2.93        | Reinstatement fee to terminate MCLE inactive enrollment                      | \$300.00   | At time reinstatement is requested  |
| 2.86              | MCLE Credit Request  | \$100.00   | February 1  |
| 2.90              | MCLE Audit Deficiency  | \$200.00   | ,   |
| 2.144             | New Attorney Training Modification   | \$100.00 <sup>5</sup>  | By the end of the Attorney's New<br>Attorney Training Compliance Period                   |
| 2.150(B)          | New Attorney Training noncompliance  | \$100.00 <sup>5</sup>  | The last day of the month of the licensee's 1-year anniversary as a licensee              |
| 2.153             | Reinstatement fee to terminate New Attorney Training inactive enrollment     | \$300.005  | 60-days from the last day of the month of the licensee's 1-year anniversary as a licensee |
| Not applicable    | Penalty for returned payment   | \$20.00  |   |
| Board<br>policy   | Fingerprinting Noncompliance   | \$100.00 <sup>6</sup>  | February 1  |
| Board<br>policy   | Fingerprinting Reinstatement   | \$300.006  | At time reinstatement is requested  |
| Not applicable    | Certificates of Standing   | \$40 per certificate   | When Requested  |
| Not applicable    | Certificates of Standing (Notary Fee)  | \$15 per certificate   | When Requested  |
| Not<br>applicable | Certificates of Standing (Delivery Fee for Mailed Certificates per address)  | No fee - First Class USPS<br>\$20 - UPS Within CA<br>\$30 - Domestic UPS<br>(outside CA)<br>\$50 - International UPS | When Requested  |
| Not applicable    | Duplicate Bar Card Fees  | \$10   | When Requested  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rule 1.20(L).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Effective only if amendments to rule 9.9 of the Rules of Court are adopted by the Supreme Court without material modification, and as of the effective date of those amendments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Effective only if amendments to rule 9.7 of the Rules of Court are adopted by the Supreme Court without material modification and effective as of the effective date of those amendments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Per Bus. & Prof. Code § 6143, the reinstatement fee may not exceed double the amount of delinquent dues, penalties, or costs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Effective only if amendments to rules 9.32 and 9.49 of the Rules of Court are adopted by the Supreme Court without material modification and effective as of the effective date of those amendments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Fingerprinting noncompliance penalty and involuntary inactive enrollment authorized by Board policy in <u>Item 704</u>, November 2019.

# RECORDS REQUEST FEE SCHEDULE

| Rule           | Description   | Amount   | Deadline  |
|----------------|---|--|---|
| Not applicable | Duplication or Scanning of Records in Response to California Public Records Act (CPRA) Requests, including requests for LLP/Law Corp documents, etc.      | \$0.10/page  | At time records<br>are requested or<br>provided     |
| Not applicable | Duplication or Scanning of Records in Response to requests for Judicial Administrative Records, including requests for copies of discipline records, etc. | \$0.10/page<br>after 50 pages<br>(free if less<br>than 50<br>pages)                    | At time records are<br>requested or<br>provided     |
| Not applicable | Certified Public Records of Discipline  | \$25.00 per case   | At time certified records are requested or provided |
| Not applicable | Audio Recordings of State Bar Court proceedings   | \$25.00 (CD),<br>\$30.00<br>(Flashdrive),<br>or \$35.00<br>(Flashdrive –<br>expedited) | At time records are requested or provided           |

#### PRACTICAL TRAINING OF LAW STUDENTS

| Rule         | Description                            | Amount | Deadline       |
|--------------|--|--------|----------------|
| 3.3(A)(2)(a) | Application                            | \$60   | Not applicable |
| . , , , , ,  |  |        | ''             |
|              |  |        |                |
| 3.8(A)       | Request to change supervising attorney | \$30   | Not applicable |
|              |  |        |                |

#### **LEGAL SPECIALIZATION**

| Rule      | Description   | Amount | Deadline  |
|-----------|---|--------|---|
| 3.110,    | Application Fee:  |        | Upon filing   |
| 3.112,    | 1. Examination registration   | \$100  |   |
| 3.116 (A) | 2. Certification application  | \$300  |   |
|           | Fee to take exam on applicant's own laptop computer   | \$0    |   |
|           | Fee for late registration for examination for applications received after timely filing deadline through first late filing deadline   | \$150  |   |
|           | 5. Fee for late registration for examination for applications received after first late filing deadline through final filing deadline | \$150  |   |
|           | 6. Fee for late registration to take exam on applicant's own laptop computer  | \$0    |   |
| 3.119     | Fee for Recertification:  |        | Upon filing   |
|           | 1. Application  | \$350  |   |
| 3.110,    | Annual Fee:   |        | February 1 or 30 days from  |
| 3.119     | Currently certified specialists   | \$360  | invoice date for newly certified  |
|           | Initial certification between December 1 and June 30  | \$360  | specialists   |
|           | 3. Initial certification between July 1 and November 30   | \$200  |   |
|           | Certified specialists engaged in judicial service as described in Rule     3.119  | N/A    |   |
| 3.119     | Annual Fee Late Charge  | \$75   | February 1 or 30 days from invoice date for newly certified specialists |
| 3.114     | Approval of Educational Activities:   |        | Upon filing   |
|           | One individual education activity   | \$75   | . ,   |
|           | Multiple activity provider status   | \$300  |   |
|           | Renewal of multiple activity provider status  | \$300  |   |
| N/A       | Replacement Certificate of Legal<br>Specialization  | \$25   | Upon request  |
| 3.125     | Appeal of Certification denial, suspension, or revocation   | \$500  | Not applicable  |

#### LAW CORPORATIONS

| Rule            | Description  | Amount  | Deadline       |
|-----------------|--|---|----------------|
| 3.152(A)(1)     | Application to Register as a Law Corporation   | \$250.00  | Not applicable |
| 3.156(A)        | Annual renewal of registration as a Law Corporation  | \$100.00  | March 30       |
| 3.156(B)        | Annual renewal deadline; penalty for late renewal <sup>1</sup>   | \$110.00  | May 3          |
| 3.158(A)(1);(c) | Law Corporation Guarantee as security for claims   | \$50,000 per claim and<br>\$100,000 per calendar year<br>per attorney, to a maximum<br>of \$500,000 per claim and<br>\$5,000,000 per calendar year    | Not applicable |
| 3.158(A)(2);(c) | Certificate of annual insurance of nonprofit public benefit corporation as security for claims           | \$50,000 per claim and<br>\$100,000 per calendar year<br>per attorney, to a maximum<br>of \$500,000 per claim and<br>\$5,000,000 per calendar<br>year | Not Applicable |
| 3.158(A)(3);(c) | Certificate of insurance of law corporations incorporated before October 27, 1971 as security for claims | \$50,000 per claim and<br>\$100,000 per calendar year<br>per attorney, to a maximum<br>of \$500,000 per claim and<br>\$5,000,000 per calendar<br>year | Not Applicable |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Business and Professions Code §6163(a) provides that the penalty for late filing may not exceed double the amount of the filing fee, and the deadline date when the penalty attaches must not be less than 31 days following the deadline for filing the annual report.

# LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIPS

| Rule        | Description  | Amount                          | Deadline       |
|-------------|--|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 3.172(A)(1) | Application for Certification as Limited Liability | \$110.00 for first two          | Not applicable |
|             | Partnership  | partners, plus \$55.00 per      |                |
|             |  | additional partner              |                |
| 3.176(A)    | Annual Renewal of Certification                    | \$85.00 for first two partners, | October 1      |
|             |  | plus \$30.00 per                |                |
|             |  | additional partner              |                |

#### TITLE 3, DIVISION 3, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 1

# REGISTERED MILITARY SPOUSE ATTORNEYS

| Rule        | Description  | Amount  | Deadline   |
|-------------|--|---|--|
| 3.351(A)(1) | Application for registration as attorney applicant for admission | Equivalent to Admissions<br>Registration fee. See Rule 4.16                             | Not applicable   |
| 3.351(A)(2) | Application for Registered Military Spouse<br>Attorney           | \$500.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.351(A)(2) | Moral Character Determination application                        | Equivalent to Application for<br>Determination of Moral Character<br>Fee                | Not applicable   |
| 3.352(A)(1) | Annual renewal as Registered Military<br>Spouse Attorney         | Equivalent to annual license fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.11           | Same as annual license<br>fee for active State Bar<br>licensees.<br>See Rule 2.11                        |
| 3.354(A)(1) | Annual renewal deadline; penalty for late renewal                | Equivalent to penalty for late payment fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13 | Same as date for imposition of penalty for late payment fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13 |

#### TITLE 3, DIVISION 3, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 2

# REGISTERED LEGAL AID ATTORNEYS

| Rule        | Description  | Amount  | Deadline   |
|-------------|--|---|--|
| 3.361(A)(1) | Application for registration as attorney applicant for admission | Equivalent to Admissions<br>Registration fee. See Rule 4.16                             | Not applicable   |
| 3.361(A)(2) | Application for Registered Legal Aid<br>Attorney                 | \$500.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.361(A)(2) | Moral Character Determination application                        | Equivalent to Application for<br>Determination of Moral<br>Character Fee                | Not applicable   |
| 3.362(A)(1) | Annual renewal as Registered Legal Aid<br>Attorney               | Equivalent to annual license fee<br>for active State Bar licensee. See<br>Rule 2.11     | Same as annual license<br>fee for active State Bar<br>licensees.<br>See Rule 2.11                        |
| 3.364(A)(1) | Annual renewal deadline; penalty for late renewal                | Equivalent to penalty for late payment fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13 | Same as date for imposition of penalty for late payment fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13 |

#### TITLE 3, DIVISION 3, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 3

# REGISTERED IN-HOUSE COUNSEL

| Rule                                 | Description  | Amount   | Deadline   |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| 3.371(A)(1)                          | Application for registration as attorney applicant for admission | Equivalent to Admissions<br>Registration fee. See Rule<br>4.16                           | Not applicable   |
| 3.371(A)(2)                          | Application for Registered In-House Counsel                      | \$1075.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.371(A)(3)                          | Application for Moral Character<br>Determination                 | Equivalent to Application<br>for Determination of Moral<br>Character fee.<br>See Rule 4. | Not applicable   |
| 3.372(A);<br>see also<br>3.374(A)(1) | Annual Renewal as Registered In-<br>House Counsel                | Equivalent to annual license fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.11            | Same as annual license<br>fee for active State Bar<br>licensees. See Rule<br>2.11        |
| 3.374(A)(1)                          | Annual renewal deadline; penalty for late renewal                | Equivalent to penalty for late payment fee for active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13  | Same as date for imposition of penalty for late active State Bar licensee. See Rule 2.13 |

# OUT-OF-STATE ATTORNEY ARBITRATION COUNSEL

| Rule        | Description          | Amount | Deadline                              |
|-------------|----------------------|--------|---------------------------------------|
| 3.380(C)(1) | Compliance procedure | \$50   | Upon service of completed certificate |
|             |                      |        | per 3.380(C)                          |

#### FOREIGN LEGAL CONSULTANTS

#### Annual Renewal Fee Effective with Renewal for 2024 Calendar Year; Other Fees Effective January 1, 2024.

| Rule                              | Description  | Amount   | Deadline  |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|---|
| 3.401(A)(1)                       | Application for registration as attorney applicant for admission   | Equivalent to Admissions<br>Registration fee. See Rule<br>4.16                             | Not applicable  |
| 3.401(A)(2)                       | Application for Registered Foreign<br>Legal Consultant   | \$1,000.00   | Not applicable  |
| 3.401(A)(3)                       | Application for Moral Character<br>Determination   | Equivalent to Application for<br>Determination of<br>Moral Character fee. See<br>Rule 4.41 | Not applicable  |
| 3.402(A); see also<br>3.408(A)(1) | Annual Renewal as Registered<br>Foreign Legal Consultant   | \$600.00   | Same as annual license fee<br>for active State Bar<br>licensees. See Rule 2.11                                    |
| 3.404                             | Insurance that includes cost of defense as security for claims   | \$150,000 for each claim;<br>\$450,000 for all claims                                      | Not applicable  |
| 3.404(A)                          | Insurance that excludes cost of defense, as security for claims  | \$100,000 for each claim;<br>\$300,000 for all claims                                      | Not applicable  |
| 3.404(B)                          | Insurance deductible amount requiring letter of credit or written agreement as evidence of security for claims | Any deductible above<br>\$10,000   | Not applicable  |
| 3.405                             | Letter of credit as security for claims  | \$100,000 for each claim;<br>\$300,000 for all claims in<br>calendar year                  | Not applicable  |
| 3.406                             | Written guarantee as security for claims   | \$100,000 for each claim;<br>\$300,000 for all claims in<br>calendar year                  | Not applicable  |
| 3.407                             | Written agreement as evidence of security for claims   | \$150,000 for each claim;<br>\$450,000 for all claims                                      | Not applicable  |
| 3.408(A)(1)                       | Annual renewal deadline; penalty for late renewal  | \$150.00   | Same as date for imposition<br>of penalty for late payment<br>fee for active State Bar<br>licensee. See Rule 2.13 |

# CLIENT SECURITY FUND

| Rule  | Description  | Amount  | Deadline       |
|-------|--|---|----------------|
| 3.451 | Rate of interest on Client Security Fund reimbursement costs | 10% annually calculated from date of disbursement | Not applicable |

# FEE ARBITRATION

| Rule     | Description   | Amount  | Deadline   |
|----------|---|---|--|
| 3.532    | Disputes of this amount are decided on the submission without a hearing   | \$1,250.00 or less  | Not applicable   |
| 3.532    | Disputes of this amount are decided on the submission or by hearing, if requested by a party and at the arbitrator's discretion | Greater than \$1,250.00 and less than \$2,500.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.534(A) | Filing fee  | 5% of dispute amount,<br>with a \$50.00 minimum<br>and \$5,000.00 maximum<br>filing fee | Submit 1) with the<br>Request for<br>Arbitration; 2) when<br>the State Bar accepts<br>jurisdiction; or 3)<br>when a fee waiver<br>request is denied in<br>whole or in part |
| 3.534(C) | Amount of refund when the State Bar is notified the dispute is settled or dismissed   | 100% refund   | State Bar is notified<br>before Request for<br>Arbitration is served on<br>opposing party  |
| 3.534(C) | Amount of refund when the State Bar is notified the dispute is settled or dismissed   | State Bar retains lesser of 50% or \$100.00   | State Bar is notified<br>after Request for<br>Arbitration is served<br>but before arbitrator<br>or panel is assigned   |
| 3.534(C) | Amount of refund when the State Bar is notified the dispute is settled or dismissed   | State Bar retains lesser of 50% or \$500.00   | State Bar is notified<br>after arbitrator or<br>panel is assigned and<br>at least 10 days<br>before hearing  |
| 3.534(C) | Amount of refund when the State Bar is notified the dispute is settled or dismissed   | No refund   | State Bar is notified less<br>than 10 days before<br>hearing   |
| 3.536(B) | Presiding arbitrator is assigned to disputes of this amount   | Less than \$2,500.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.536(B) | Sole arbitrator is assigned to disputes of this amount  | Between \$2,500.00 and \$25,000.00  | Not applicable   |
| 3.536(B) | Panel is assigned to disputes of this amount  | Greater than<br>\$25,000.00   | Not applicable   |
| 3.536(E) | Arbitrator compensation for hearings extending beyond 4 hours   | \$150.00 per arbitrator<br>per hour for each hour<br>over 4 hours                       | Not applicable   |

#### FEE ARBITRATION ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

| Rule          | Description                            | Amount                | Deadline |
|---------------|--|-----------------------|----------|
| Rule 3.564(B) | Administrative Penalty, Non-compliance | Not to exceed twenty  |          |
|               | ·                                      | percent of the amount |          |
|               |  | awarded or \$1,000,   |          |
|               |  | whichever is greater  |          |

#### PROVIDERS OF CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

| Rule               | Description  | Amount       | Deadline    |
|--------------------|--|--------------|-------------|
| 3.607(A);          | Approval of Educational Activities: Single Activity Provider     |              | Upon filing |
| 3.611              | Nonprofit Provider   | \$115        |             |
|                    | For Profit Provider  | \$150        |             |
| 3.607(B);          | Provider Late Fee Charge: Single Activity Provider               |              | Upon filing |
| 3.611              | 1-30 days post activity start date                               | \$90         | ] ' '       |
|                    | 31 days – 2 years post activity start date                       | \$210        |             |
| 3.608(A);          | Approval of Educational Activities: Multiple Activity            | Provider     | Upon filing |
| 3.611              | Nonprofit Provider   | \$460        |             |
|                    | For Profit Provider  | \$600        |             |
| 3.609(A);<br>3.611 | Approval of Educational Activities: Renewal of Multi<br>Provider | ple Activity | Upon filing |
| 0.011              | Nonprofit Provider   | \$460        |             |
|                    | For Profit Provider  | \$600        | 7           |
| 3.609(B);          | Provider Late Fee Charge: Multiple Activity Provider             | Renewal      | Upon filing |
| 3.611              | 1-30 days post status expiration date                            | \$300        |             |
|                    | 31 days – 2 years post activity start date                       | \$750        |             |
| 3.609(B);<br>3.611 | Provider Reinstatement Fee: Multiple Activity Provider           | \$50         | Upon filing |

#### LEGAL SERVICES TRUST FUND

| Rule        | Description  | Amount    | Deadline  |
|-------------|--|-----------|---|
| 3.680(E)(1) | Threshold amount of gross corporate expenditures requiring submission of an audited financial statement.                                       | \$500,000 | Not applicable  |
|             | Deadline for applicant to submit an audited or reviewed financial statement for the fiscal year that concluded during the prior calendar year. |           | Promptly when available, and no later than May 1. Upon written request, an extension up to the application deadline may be granted by the State Bar staff. Upon a showing of extraordinary circumstances, the Commission may grant an extension beyond the application deadline.  Under no circumstances shall such extension be granted beyond the date upon which grant allocations are determined. |

#### **LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICES**

| Rule         | Description  | Amount  | Deadline   |
|--------------|--|---|--|
| 3.802 (A)    | Application Fee:1  |   |  |
|              | Non-profit services.   | \$1,000 for a service that operates in one county only. \$500 for the second county in which the service will operate, if any. \$250 for each county in which the service will operate, if any.   | Upon filing of application for certification or continued certification. |
|              |  | For continued certification and regardless of the number of counties in which the service operates, one percent (1%) of gross revenue up to maximum of \$10,000. No application fee, either for initial or continued certification shall exceed \$10,000.   |  |
|              | 2. For-profit services.  | \$5,000 for a service that operates in one county only. \$2,500 for the second county in which the service will operate, if any. \$1,250 for each additional county in which the service will operate, if any.  For continued certification and regardless of the number of counties in which the service operates, one percent (1%) of gross revenue, up to maximum of \$10,000. | Upon filing of application for certification or continued certification. |
| 3.803 (A)(3) | Reapplication Fee Following Denial of Initial Application                      | See fees under rule 3.802(A).   | Not applicable   |
| 3.823 (C)(1) | Errors and Omissions Insurance<br>Amounts For Each Panel Attorney <sup>2</sup> | \$100,000 per occurrence<br>and \$300,000 aggregate,<br>per year.   | Upon filing of application for certification or continued certification  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Business and Professions Code § 6155(f)(4) provides that the application fee and renewal fees be determined by a combination of factors including for-profit or non-profit status and that the fees do not exceed \$10,000 or 1 percent of gross annual revenues, whichever is less.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Business and Professions Code § 6155(f)(6) requires each panel attorney to possess a policy of errors and omissions insurance in an amount not less than \$100,000 for each occurrence and \$300,000 aggregate, per year.

# APPROVAL TO CERTIFY LEGAL SPECIALISTS

| Rule  | Description   | Amount                                      | Deadline    |
|-------|---|---|-------------|
| 3.902 | Application for an outside organization to become an accredited organization in California  | \$3,500                                     | Upon filing |
|       | Application for an outside organization to become an accredited organization in California per specialty, if organization is already an ABA accredited organization | \$500                                       |             |
|       | <ol> <li>Each additional specialty (after the first)     when an outside organization     applies to become an accredited     organization in California</li> </ol> | \$500                                       |             |
|       | Annual renewal fee for outside organizations accredited in California   | \$200 + \$25 per<br>certified<br>specialist |             |

#### TITLE 4, DIVISION 1

# **ADMISSIONS FEES**

Bar examination-related fees effective with the February 2024 administration. Other fees effective January 1, 2024.

| Rule      | Description   | Amount   | Deadline       |
|-----------|---|----------|----------------|
| 4.16      | Application for registration – General Applicant  | \$150.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.16      | Application for registration - Attorney Applicant   | \$300.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.29      | Intention to Study Law in Law Office or Judge's Chambers  | \$880.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.29      | Law Office or Judge's Chambers Initial Study and<br>Semi-Annual Report  | \$525.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.32      | Evaluation of Study Completed or Contemplated   | \$100.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.41      | Application for Determination of Moral Character  – General Applicant   | \$725.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.41      | Application for Determination of Moral Character – Attorney Applicant   | \$850.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.47      | Appeal of Adverse Determination of Moral<br>Character   | \$500.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.52      | Application for Extension of Determination of Moral Character – General Applicant   | \$290.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.52      | Application for Extension of Determination of Moral Character – Attorney Applicant  | \$400.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.58      | Application to take the First-Year Law Students' Examination  | \$850.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.58      | Late Fee for Application to take the First- Year Law Students' Examination (Filed Between the First and Last Business Days of April for June Administration and Between the First and Last Business Days of August for the October Administration)*           | \$25.00  | Not applicable |
| 4.58      | Late Fee for Application to take the First- Year Law Students' Examination (Filed Between the Last Business Day of April and May 15 for the June Administration and Between the Last Business Day of August and September 15 for the October Administration)* | \$200.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.58/4.61 | Laptop Computer Fee   | \$153.00 | Not applicable |
| 4.58      | Late Laptop Computer Fee (Request Received Subsequent to Filing Application to take the Examination)*   | \$50.00  | Not applicable |
| 4.61      | Late Laptop Computer Fee / Test Center Change<br>Received Subsequent to Filing Application to take<br>the Examination   | \$60.00  | Not applicable |
| 4.61      | Application to take the California Bar Examination  – General Applicant   | \$850.00 | Not applicable |

| Rule       | Description  | Amount    | Deadline       |
|------------|--|-----------|----------------|
| 4.61       | Application to take the California Bar Examination | \$1500.00 | Not applicable |
|            | – Attorney Applicant                               |           |                |
| 4.61       | Late Fee for Applications to take the California   | \$50.00   | Not applicable |
|            | Bar Examination (Filed Between the First and       |           |                |
|            | Last Business Days of April for the July           |           |                |
|            | Administration and Between the First and Last      |           |                |
|            | Business Days of November                          |           |                |
|            | for the February Administration)*                  |           |                |
| 4.61       | Late Fee for Applications to take the California   | \$250.00  | Not applicable |
|            | Bar Examination (Filed Between the Last            |           |                |
|            | Business Day of April and the Final Filing         |           |                |
|            | Deadline for the July Administration and           |           |                |
|            | Between the Last Business Day of November          |           |                |
|            | and the Final Filing Deadline for                  |           |                |
|            | the February Administration)*                      |           |                |
| Not        | Admission Certificate                              | \$90.00   | Not applicable |
| applicable |  |           |                |
| Not        | Supreme Court Enrollment Fee                       | \$5.00    | Not applicable |
| applicable |  |           |                |

#### ADMISSIONS ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

| Rule           | Description   | Amount  | Deadline       |
|----------------|---|---------|----------------|
| Not applicable | Copy of Registration Form - original or reproduction of online application                                | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Copy of First-Year Law Students' Examination Application - original or reproduction of online application | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Copy of Bar Examination Application - original or reproduction of online application                      | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Copy of Moral Character Determination Application - original or reproduction of online application        | \$25.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Duplicate Result Letter - more than 60 days after release of results                                      | \$15.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Letters of Verification - registration, payment of fees, admission, application destroyed, etc.           | \$15.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Duplicate of Computer Letters - if still available on computer system                                     | \$15.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Certification of MBE Score - older than 7 years   | \$25.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Hand Score of MBE Scantron Answer Sheets - last administered examination only                             | \$50.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Reprint of Laptop Examination Answers - last administered examination only                                | \$25.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Return of Original Eligibility Documents - copies made before originals returned to applicant             | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Copy of Law Study Evaluation - copies of prior law study evaluations                                      | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Copy of Law Study Plan with Evaluation - copies of law study plans with evaluations                       | \$20.00 | Not applicable |
| Not applicable | Certification of MPRE Score - older than 15 years   | \$25.00 | Not applicable |

# TITLE 4, DIVISION 2

# ACCREDITED LAW SCHOOL FEES

| Rule                             | Description   | Amount   | Deadline       |
|----------------------------------|---|--|----------------|
| 4.110(A) & (B)                   | Fees for Services   | \$275/hour Total cost: Time                              | Not applicable |
|                                  |   | and expenses   |                |
| 4.110(C)                         | Travel Expenses (per State Bar Travel Reimbursement policy)   | Actual cost  | Not applicable |
| 4.121(A)                         | Application for Provisional Accreditation fee   | Deposit: \$750 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.121(D)                         | Provisional Accreditation Inspection and Report fee (plus expenses per rule 4.110(C))   | Deposit: \$750 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.140-4.143                      | Application for Accreditation fee   | Deposit: \$750 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.147(B) & (C)                   | Application for Jointly<br>Accredited Status fee  | Deposit: \$750 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.144-4.146                      | Accreditation Inspection and Report fee (plus expenses per rule 4.110(C))   | Deposit: \$5,000 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses        | Not applicable |
| 4.161                            | Periodic Compliance Report fee for Accredited and Jointly Accredited Law Schools and Deadline   | \$2,170  | November 15    |
| 4.161                            | Late Filing of Periodic Compliance Report fee   | \$350  | Not applicable |
| 4.161(A)                         | Annual Branch Campus fee  | \$1,000  | November 15    |
| 4.161(A)                         | Annual Satellite Campus<br>fee  | \$800  | November 15    |
| 4.124, 4.144,<br>4.162, 4.172(D) | Periodic or Other Inspections (plus expenses per rule 4.110(C))   | Total cost: Time and expenses Annual prepayment: \$4,400 | Not applicable |
| 4.121, 4.141,<br>4.163           | Self-Study fee  | Deposit: \$750 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.109, 4.165                     | Application for Major<br>Change or Waiver fee   | Deposit: \$250 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.165                            | Major Change Inspection and Report fee (plus expenses per rule 4.110(C))  | Deposit: \$2,000 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses        | Not applicable |
| 4.170(B)                         | Response to Notice of Noncompliance fee   | Deposit: \$800 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses          | Not applicable |
| 4.170(B)(2)                      | Site Inspection Regarding Notice of<br>Noncompliance fee (plus expenses per rule<br>4.110(C)), including Probation or Other<br>Monitoring | Deposit: \$2,000 Total cost:<br>Time and expenses        | Not applicable |

#### TITLE 4, DIVISION 3

#### <u>UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOL FEES</u>

Fees previously adopted by the Board of Trustees or mandated by statute.

Last amended effective January 1, 2024.

| Rule     | Description   | Amount         | Deadline       |
|----------|---|----------------|----------------|
| 4.209(B) | Services of Senior Executive or consultant  | \$350.00/hour  | Not applicable |
| 4.209(C) | Travel Expenses (per State Bar Travel Reimbursement policy)                         | Actual cost    | Not applicable |
| 4.221(A) | Application for Registration  | \$2,310.00     | Not applicable |
| 4.221(B) | Inspection for Application for Registration   | \$5,775.00     | Not applicable |
| 4.241(D) | Deadline for Disclosure Statement<br>Certification and copy of Disclosure Statement | Not applicable | November 15    |
| 4.242    | Annual Compliance Report - Category A law school                                    | \$5,000.00     | November 15    |
| 4.242    | Annual Compliance Report - Category B law school                                    | \$7,500.00     | November 15    |
| 4.242    | Annual Compliance Report - Category C law school                                    | \$10,000.00    | November 15    |
| 4.242    | Late Filing of Annual Compliance Report   | \$350.00       | Not applicable |
| 4.243    | Self-Study (if separate from inspection)  | \$350/hour     | Not applicable |
| 4.244(B) | Inspection - Category A law school fee  | \$22,500.00    | Not applicable |
| 4.244(B) | Inspection - Category B law school fee  | \$30,000.00    | Not applicable |
| 4.244(B) | Inspection - Category C law school fee  | \$36,500.00    | Not applicable |
| 4.245    | Request for approval of Major Change  | \$350/hour     | Not applicable |
| 4.261    | Response to Notice of Noncompliance   | \$924.00       | Not applicable |

# TITLE 5, DIVISION 7, Chapter 3

# REINSTATEMENT PROCEEDINGS

| Rule  | Description                               | Amount    | Deadline                  |
|---|---|-----------|---------------------------|
| Rule 5.441(C) of<br>the Rules of<br>Procedure of the<br>State Bar | Filing Fee for Petition for Reinstatement | \$1600.00 | At time petition is filed |

#### **EDUCATION FEES**

#### Last amended effective January 1, 2024.

| Rule   | Description                              | Amount             | Deadline        |
|--|--|--------------------|-----------------|
| Not applicable   | Ethics School                            | \$150.00           | At Registration |
| Not applicable   | CTA School                               | \$100.00           | At Registration |
| Not applicable   | MCLE – Participatory Credit <sup>1</sup> | \$55.00 (per hour) | At Registration |
| Not applicable   | MCLE – Self-Study Credit <sup>1</sup>    | \$20.00 (per hour) | At Registration |
| Rule 2.141(a);<br>Rule 9.32(e) of<br>the Rules of<br>Court | NAT Credit Fee <sup>1,2</sup>            | \$55.00            | At Registration |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These charges shall be effective upon establishment of operational capability to collect the fee. <sup>2</sup> Effective only if amendments to rule 9.32 of the Rules of Court are adopted by the Supreme Court without material modification and effective as of the effective date of those amendments.