

NOTICES

Notice of Suspension of Attorney

Pursuant to § 2-54 of the Connecticut Practice Book, notice is hereby given that on September 20, 2018, in Docket Number HHD-CV-15-6075511 Madonna Sacco, juris # 102769, was suspended from the practice of law commencing on September 25, 2018 through January 23, 2019.

Thomas Moukawsher
Judge

BAR EXAMINING COMMITTEE

Notice of Amendment of Regulations

At its meeting on September 28, 2018, the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee voted to amend Article V of its Regulations to require that all applicants for admission by examination sit for both days of the examination. Previously, an applicant could opt to transfer a qualifying MBE score and only sit for the remaining portions of the examination. This amendment is effective 90 days from publication in the Law Journal.

Jessica F. Kallipolites
Administrative Director
Connecticut Bar Examining Committee

ARTICLE V

EXAMINATIONS

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Art. V-6.

~~All applicants taking the bar examination in Connecticut must sit for the MPT, MEE, and the MBE in Connecticut during the same administration of the examination and will receive a UBE score. In order to obtain a UBE score, an applicant must sit for the MPT, the MEE, and the MBE in Connecticut during the same administration of the exam. An applicant may sit for the MBE in another jurisdiction as a part of the bar examination of that jurisdiction and transfer that MBE score to Connecticut for purposes of local admission to the Connecticut bar. Upon election by the applicant prior to the administration of the examination, the committee will accept an applicant's concurrent MBE score or the applicant's MBE score from any of the three administrations of the MBE next preceding the administration during which the applicant sits for the MPT and MEE in Connecticut. The election to sit for the MBE 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 MBE 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. . An applicant who elects to transfer an MBE score from a concurrent or prior administration of the exam will not obtain a UBE score.~~

~~(A) An applicant who elects to use an MBE score as limited above must have a certificate of that MBE 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 NCBE 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 MBE 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 MBE shall be disclosed to him or her unless the transferring jurisdiction directs otherwise.~~

~~(D) Scores on the MPT and MEE are not transferrable.~~

(A) An applicant taking the bar examination in Connecticut may request certification of a UBE score earned in Connecticut to another jurisdiction. An applicant requesting certification of a UBE score earned in Connecticut to another jurisdiction must direct such request to the National Conference of Bar Examiners (NCBE).

~~(E) (B) 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 (9).~~

Art. V-7.

~~(a) In order for the examination to be graded when sitting for the MBE in Connecticut or concurrently in another jurisdiction, the applicant must attend both the MPT and MEE sessions at the designated location in Connecticut and both sessions of the MBE 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-6. 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 an MBE score from a previous administration, the applicant must attend both the MPT and MEE sessions at the designated location in Connecticut. Any applicant who does not attend both sessions of the MPT and MEE will be deemed withdrawn from the examination and will not receive examination results.~~

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

~~(d) (c) 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 the MPT and MEE will not be permitted to take the MBE in Connecticut on the following day.~~

Art. V-8.**Art. V-9 8.**

The committee shall meet at such time and place as may be fixed by the chairperson to determine the results of the examination and announce the names of the applicants recommended for admission to the bar. The administrative director shall certify to the clerk of the superior court for each county the names of the applicants who are recommended for admission to the bar and shall likewise notify the Office of the Chief Court Administrator which shall notify the press. Such certification shall expire after one hundred eighty (180) days.

Art. V-10. 9.

Each applicant recommended for admission to the bar shall (unless specially excused by the clerk of the superior court) present himself or herself for admission as an attorney at a session of the superior court to be held in the county in which such applicant seeks admission or in such other place or places, on such date and at such hour as shall be prescribed by the committee.

Upon a showing of due excuse, the clerk of the superior court may arrange for the presentation for admission of an applicant at a session of the superior court to be held at another time and place to be fixed by the clerk.

Art. V-11. 10.

The administrative director shall notify each applicant of his or her results on the examination. Notification to an applicant who fails to pass the examination shall include a statement of the applicant's scores on the examination and such other examination information as the committee shall from time to time determine.
