



The State Bar *of California*

OPEN SESSION AGENDA ITEM JUNE, 2019 COMMITTEE OF BAR EXAMINERS ITEM O-501

DATE: June 21, 2019

TO: Members, Committee of Bar Examiners

FROM: Tara Clark, Program Manager, Office of Admissions

SUBJECT: 2019 Moral Character Determination Goals

1. Update the Committee on the status of the implementation of the revised process for conducting informal conferences and present to the Committee proposed procedures regarding Committee review of adverse moral character determinations.

June 2019

2. Present findings of internal review of the current standards for determination of moral character matters and any recommendations for change.

Ongoing

3. CBE members to receive a presentation on the dynamics of sexual assault and survivor response.

August 2019

4. CBE members to receive a presentation on implicit bias.

October 2019

5. Receive additional trainings on topics relative to moral character determinations (e.g. Ethics School, Client Trust Accounting School).

Ongoing

6. Conduct informal conferences and make recommendations with respect to Applications for Determinations of Moral Character.

Ongoing