



The State Bar *of California*

OPEN SESSION AGENDA ITEM II.C JANUARY 2024 COMMITTEE OF BAR EXAMINERS

DATE: January 26, 2024

TO: Members, Committee of Bar Examiners

FROM: Tammy Campbell, Program Manager

SUBJECT: Approval of Draft Report to the Supreme Court on the July 2023 California Bar Examination

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

After each California Bar Exam, the State Bar provides the California Supreme Court with a report on the administration of the exam as soon as practicable. The Committee of Bar Examiners approves the draft of each report before it is delivered to the Court.

BACKGROUND

Rule 4.60(B) of the Rules of the State Bar of California (Title 4. Admissions and Educational Standards) requires the State Bar to provide “. . . the California Supreme Court a report on each administration of the examination as soon as practical.”

DISCUSSION

Attached please find the Report to the Supreme Court on the July 2023 California Bar Examination for the Committee’s review, along with the following:

1. July 2023 California Bar Exam Statistics Report
2. “Analysis of the July 2023 General Bar Examination” prepared by Deborah Schnipke, Ph.D., and Russell Keglovits, M.Ed., ACS Ventures, LLC

3. July 2023 Essay Questions and Selected Answers
4. July 2023 Performance Test and Selected Answers

FISCAL/PERSONNEL IMPACT

None

RECOMMENDATIONS

Should the Committee of Bar Examiners concur in the proposed action, passage of the following resolution is recommended:

MOVE, that the Committee of Bar Examiners receive and file the Report to the Supreme Court on the July 2023 California Bar Examination for submittal to the California Supreme Court.

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