

Order

Michigan Supreme Court
Lansing, Michigan

May 25, 2016

Robert P. Young, Jr.,
Chief Justice

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Amendment of Rule 6 of the Rules
for the Board of Law Examiners

On order of the Court, notice of the proposed changes and an opportunity for comment in writing and at a public hearing having been provided, and consideration having been given to the comments received, the following amendment of Rule 6 of the Rules for the Board of Law Examiners is adopted, effective August 1, 2016.

[The present language is amended as indicated below by underlining for new text and strikeover for text that has been deleted.]

Rule 6 Fees

The fees are: an application for examination, ~~\$400~~\$340 and an additional fee for the late filing of an application or transfer of an application for examination, \$100; an application for reexamination, ~~\$300~~\$240; an application for recertification, ~~\$300~~\$200; an application for admission without examination, ~~\$800~~\$600 plus the requisite fee for the National Conference of Bar Examiners' character report. Certified checks or money orders must be payable to the State of Michigan. Online bar examination payments for first time exam takers must be paid by credit card.

Staff Comment: The amendment of BLE Rule 6 increases the fees for application for the bar examination from \$340 to \$400, reexamination from \$240 to \$300, application for recertification from \$200 to \$300, and application for admission without examination from \$600 to \$800.

The staff comment is not an authoritative construction by the Court. In addition, adoption of a new rule or amendment in no way reflects a substantive determination by this Court.



I, Larry S. Royster, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

May 25, 2016


Clerk