

The King County Bar Association Board of Trustees agrees to support the following ABA proposed resolution. Approved by voice vote, December 21, 2011.

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION
COMMISSION ON DISABILITY RIGHTS
CRIMINAL JUSTICE SECTION
GENERAL PRACTICE, SOLO AND SMALL FIRM DIVISION
SECTION OF INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES
SECTION OF REAL PROPERTY, TRUST AND ESTATE LAW
SENIOR LAWYERS DIVISION
COMMISSION ON LAWYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
COMMISSION ON SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY
COUNCIL FOR RACIAL AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY IN THE EDUCATIONAL
PIPELINE
STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE DELIVERY OF LEGAL SERVICES
BAR ASSOCIATION OF BALTIMORE CITY
OREGON STATE BAR
PHILADELPHIA BAR ASSOCIATION
STATE BAR OF WISCONSIN
UTAH STATE BAR
NATIONAL NATIVE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

REPORT TO HOUSE OF DELEGATES

RESOLUTION

1 RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all entities that administer a law school
2 admission test to provide appropriate accommodations for a test taker with a disability to best
3 ensure that the exam results reflect what the exam is designed to measure, and not the test taker's
4 disability. These accommodations should include, but not be limited to, the following:
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- 6 1. Removal of architectural and communication barriers;
 - 7 2. Modification of rules, practices and procedures; and
 - 8 3. Provision of auxiliary aids and services
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10 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all entities that administer,
11 score, or report the results of a law school admission test to establish procedures to ensure that
12 the application process, the scoring of the test, and the reporting of test scores is consistent for all
13 applicants and does not differentiate on the basis that an applicant received an accommodation
14 for a disability.

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16 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all entities that administer a
17 law school admission test to:

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1. Make readily accessible to applicants the policies, guidelines, and administrative procedures used for granting accommodations requested by those with disabilities;
2. Give notice to applicants, within a reasonable period of time, whether or not requested accommodations have been granted; and
3. Provide a fair process for timely reconsideration of the denial of requested accommodations.