RESOLVED, That the Association policies dated through 1994 as set forth in Attachment 1 to Report 400B dated August 2014, are archived and no longer considered to be current policy of the American Bar Association and shall not be expressed as such.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That policies which have been archived may be reactivated at the request of the original sponsoring entities. If the original sponsoring entities no longer exist, requests may be brought to the Secretary to be placed on a reactivation list for action by the House of Delegates. Such reactivated policies shall be considered current policy for the Association and shall be expressed as such.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Governors may act to reactivate policies when the House of Delegates is not in session.
4. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968

5. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
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6. Criminal Justice Standards
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9. Criminal Justice Standards
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12. Criminal Justice Standards
    Criminal Justice Section
    August, 1970

14. Criminal Justice Standards
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1971

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20. Criminal Justice Standards
    Criminal Justice Section
    August, 1972

21. Supreme Court’s Mandate, in Argersinger v. Hamlin
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27. Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs
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34. Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs
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39. Criminal Justice Standards
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47. Social Security Benefits
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51. Discovery Abuse
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53. Generation Skipping
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140. Amend Fair Trial Free Press Standards  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1991

150. Community Reinvestment Programs  
   Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants, the Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law, and the Section of Affordable Housing and Community Development  
   February, 1991

166. Establish Commissions on Drug Crisis  
   Boston Bar Association; the Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; the San Diego County Bar Association; the Bar Association of Baltimore City; the Rhode Island Bar Association; the Cleveland Bar Association; The Bar Association of Metropolitan St Louis; Cincinnati Bar Association and the Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs  
   August, 1991

177. Firearms and Children  
   Young Lawyers Division  
   August, 1991

184. Nuremberg Principles  
   Standing Committee on Law and National Security; Section of International Law, Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources  
   August, 1991

187. Guardianship/Conservatorship Legislation  
   Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
   August, 1991

191. Retirement Earnings Test in Social Security  
   Senior Lawyers Division  
   August, 1991

201. Organ Donation  
   Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
   February, 1992

227. Accreditation of Specialization Programs  
   Kansas Bar Association State Bar of Michigan; the South Carolina Bar; the North Carolina State Bar; the Hawaii State Bar Association; the Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.; the Maine State Bar Association; the Massachusetts Bar Association; The Mississippi Bar; the Alabama State Bar; and the State Bar of Nevada.  
   August, 1992
242. Amendments to ERISA and IRC  
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
August, 1992

247. Funding for Public Housing  
Forum on Affordable Housing & Community Development  
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252. Federal Judiciary Control over Space and Facilities  
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253. Judicial Abstention on ABA Policy  
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293. Model Federal Acquisition Regulation -Compatible Provisions  
Section of Public Contract Law  
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294. Critical Technologies Developments  
Section of Public Contract Law  
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302. Community Service Programs  
Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs  
August, 1993

327. Federal Rules of Civil Procedure  
Young Lawyers Division  
August, 1993

334. Drug Crisis  
Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs  
February, 1994

338. Drug Crisis  
Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs  
February, 1994

356. Prevention  
Commission on Homelessness and Poverty  
August, 1994

357. Juvenile Justice in Unified Children and Family Courts  
Center on Children and the Law, Government and Public Sector Division, the Young  
Lawyers Division, Individual Rights and Responsibilities and Litigation, the Hawaii State  
Bar Association  
August, 1994
4. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968 Report 13.1


That the Standards Relating to Post-Conviction Remedies as set forth in the Tentative Draft of January, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, be adopted by the House of Delegates.

That the Standards Relating to Appellate Review of Sentences as set forth in the Tentative Draft of April, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, be adopted by the House of Delegates with amendments to Part III recommended by the Special Committee on Minimum Standards for the Administration of Criminal Justice as set forth in the Proposed Revisions of Tentative Draft, dated December, 1967.


That the Standards Relating to Speedy Trial as set forth in the Tentative Draft of May, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on the Criminal Trial, be adopted by the House of Delegates.


5. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968 Report 13.2

That the Standards Relating to Post-Conviction Remedies as set forth in the Tentative Draft of January, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, be adopted by the House of Delegates.

6. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968 Report 13.3

That the Standards Relating to Appellate Review of Sentences as set forth in the Tentative Draft of April, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, be adopted by the House of Delegates with amendments to Part III recommended by the Special Committee on Minimum Standards for the Administration of Criminal Justice as set forth in the Proposed Revisions of Tentative Draft, dated December, 1967.
7. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968 Report 13.4


8. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968 Report 13.5

That the Standards Relating to Speedy Trial as set forth in the Tentative Draft of May, 1967, recommended by the Advisory Committee on the Criminal Trial, be adopted by the House of Delegates.

9. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1968, Report 13.6


12. Criminal Justice Standards
    Criminal Justice Section
    August, 1970 Report 20

   RESOLVED, That the Standards Relating to Criminal Appeals as set forth in the Tentative Draft of March, 1969, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, with amendment of Sections 1.4, 2.3, 3.2 and 3.3 and the addition of Section 2.5 as set forth in Appendix A of its report, be adopted by the House of Delegates; and
   That the Standards Relating to Probation as set forth in the Tentative Draft of February, 1970, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Sentencing and Review, be adopted by the House of Delegates; and
   That the Standards Relating to Discovery and Procedure Before Trial as set forth in the Tentative Draft of May, 1969, recommended by the Advisory Committee on Pretrial Proceedings, with amendment of Sections 2.1, 3.2, 5.3 and 5.4 and the addition of Section 3.3 as set forth in Appendix B of its report, be adopted by the House of Delegates.
14. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1971 Report 13.1

   RESOLVED, That the Standards Relating to the Prosecution Function and the Standards
   Relating to The Defense Function as set forth in the Tentative Draft of March, 1970,
   recommended by the Advisory Committee on the Prosecution and Defense Functions, with
   amendment of Sections 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.3, 2.8, 2.9, 3.1, 3.6, 3.9, 3.11, 5.6 and 5.7 of the
   Prosecution Function and with amendment of Sections 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.3, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.7, 4.2,
   4.3, 7.5 and 7.7 of, and the addition of Section 2.4 to, the Defense Function, as set forth in
   Appendix A of this report, be adopted by the House of Delegates.

15. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1971 Report 13.2

   RESOLVED, That the Standards Relating to Electronic Surveillance as set forth in the
   Tentative Draft of June, 1968, recommended by the Advisory Committee on the Police Function,
   with amendments as set forth in the Proposed Final Draft of January, 1971, be adopted by the
   House of Delegates.

20. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   August, 1972 Report 12.1

   RESOLVED, That the Standards Relating to the Function of the Trial Judge as set forth
   in the tentative draft of June, 1972, recommended by the Advisory Committee on The Judge's
   Function, be adopted.

21. Supreme Court's Mandate, in Argersinger v. Hamlin
    Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
    August, 1972 Report 16

   WHEREAS, In the recent case of Argersinger v. Hamlin, The United States Supreme
   Court handed down a momentous decision requiring that all misdemeanants be represented
   by counsel whenever imprisonment may be involved; and

   WHEREAS, This decision places upon the legal profession a greatly enlarged
   responsibility in providing counsel to the indigent accused, and also represents a challenge to
   the organized bar to help meet that responsibility promptly and adequately; and

   WHEREAS, A careful and thorough study is required to assess the extent of the need
   and also steps through which the bar can meet this further significant obligation of public
   service,

   BE IT RESOLVED, That the ABA Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent
   Defendants, in cooperation with other Association Committees and Sections and national
   organizations concerned about the issue, recommend appropriate steps to provide an affirmative
   response to the Supreme Court's mandate and report back to the Association as soon as
   possible.
27. Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs  
Standing Committee on Paralegals  
August, 1973 Report 126

RESOLVED, That the statement set forth in the Committee's Report as to the Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs be approved, as amended. The amendments to the report were to change "Standards" to "Guidelines," to add law schools to those institutions listed in paragraph 206 to be considered for approval, and to add a paragraph stating the Committee's intention to continue its consultation with interested and affected organizations.

32. Clinical Legal Education  
Standing Committee on Paralegals  
August, 1975 Report 128.2

RESOLVED, That the Special Committee on Legal Assistants, or its successor, be granted authority to establish contact with appropriate associations of legal assistants or any other such organization as it deems appropriate, in order to work towards the establishment of a permanent, broadly based body to assume responsibility for the accreditation of formal educational programs for legal assistants, and to report its findings and recommendations to the House of Delegates by February, 1976.

34. Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs  
Standing Committee on Paralegals  
August, 1977 Report 126

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs be amended as they pertain to educational programs and faculty, respectively, as follows:
G-303 The program of education for legal assistants shall be: (a)... (b) at least sixty semester or ninety quarter hours or the equivalent of which at least thirty semester or forty-five quarter hours must be comprised of general education and law-related courses with at least fifteen semester or twenty-two and one-half quarter hours comprised of legal specialty courses; (c) offered by an institution accredited or eligible for accreditation by an agency recognized by the Council on Post-Secondary Accreditation (COPA), the U.S. Office of Education, or by a nationally recognized institutional accrediting agency acceptable to the Committee; (d) Delete.
G-402 A full-time member of the faculty or the administration of the institution shall be responsible for the direction of the program.

39. Criminal Justice Standards  
Criminal Justice Section  
August, 1978 Report 108A

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Speedy Trial, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1968, be and hereby are reaffirmed as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Summer / 78.

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to the Function of the Trial Judge, originally adopted by the Association in August, 1972, be and hereby are revised as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Summer / 78.

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Electronic Surveillance, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1971, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Summer / 78.


RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Joinder and Severance, originally adopted by the Association in August, 1968, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Summer / 78.

43.  Criminal Justice Standards
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1979 Report 109.2

Thereafter, the recommendation was approved by voice vote as follows:

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Providing Defense Services, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1968, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978;

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Pretrial Release, originally adopted by the Association in 1968, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978;

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Urban Police Function, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1973, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978;

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Pleas of Guilty, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1968, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978;

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Prosecution Function, originally adopted by the Association in February, 1971, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978; and

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Defense Function, originally adopted by the Association in 1971, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Fall 1978.
RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association Standards Relating to Sentencing Alternatives and Procedures, which incorporate the Standards Relating to Probation, be and hereby are amended as set out in the Tentative Draft of a proposed second edition thereof dated Summer / 1979.

RECOMMENDATION BY: Standing Committee on Lawyer's Retirement
The Standing Committee on Retirement of Lawyers requested approval of a recommendation that the ABA support the enactment of legislation which would eliminate income earned by self-employed persons before retirement and received after retirement from the Social Security earnings test, and permit every beneficiary to apply the monthly earnings test for at least one year after 1977. The action requested in the recommendation would support legislation to help eliminate the inequities between the way the retired self-employed are treated and the way retired employees are treated under the Social Security earnings test of the Social Security Act.

UPON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED:

The Board approved the following recommendation of the Standing Committee on Retirement of Lawyers:

RESOLVED, that the American Bar Association supports the enactment of legislation that Amends Title II of the Social Security Act to: (1) provide that income attributable to services performed before initial benefit eligibility by an individual entitled to old-age insurance benefits may not be taken into account in determining his or her net earnings from self-employment for purposes of the earnings test; and (2) make it clear that every beneficiary is entitled to apply the monthly earnings test for at least one year after 1977.

At its November, 1980 meeting, the Board approved the recommendation of the Section of Litigation that the ABA support amendments to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure regarding discovery as provided in the report of the Section's Special Committee for the Study of Discovery Abuse, deleting, however, references in the report and in the amendatory language of the Rules to special disciplinary action against attorneys. These references were referred to the Standing Committees on Ethics and Professional Responsibility and Professional Discipline for study with the request that the Committees report back to the Board. At this meeting, the Board received the reports of the Standing Committees on Ethics and Professional Responsibility and Professional Discipline as presented under Exhibit 2.6 of the Board's February 3, 1981, February 5, 1981 - February 6, 1981 agenda book.
53. Generation Skipping  
   Illinois State Bar Association and Chicago Bar Association  
   August, 1981 Report 10  

   RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association recommends the repeal of Chapter_13,  
   Section_303(d), Section_691(c)(3), and Section_2013(g) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954,  
   as amended, relating to the tax on certain generation - skipping transfers, with appropriate  
   conforming amendments.

63. Judges, Liability  
   National Conference of Federal Trial Judges  
   June 3, 1983 - June 4, 1983; BOG Minutes, pp.07-08, Agenda Exhibit 2.10  

   The National Conference of State Trial Judges recommended that the Association support  
   exclusion of state and federal judges acting in a judicial capacity from liability for attorneys fees  
   under the Civil Rights Attorneys' Fees Awards Act of 1976. The issue was whether the doctrine  
   of judicial immunity barred award of attorneys fees under 42 U.S.C. Section 1988 against a  
   member of the judiciary acting in his judicial capacity. The question was presently before the  
   U.S. Supreme Court in Pullian v. Allen.

   Since the Association had no policy on this issue, the Board was requested first to establish a  
   policy supporting judicial immunity from attorneys' fees thus protecting judges from personal  
   liability for official acts, and second to authorize the National Conference to file a brief as amicus  
   curiae on behalf of the Association in the U.S. Supreme Court in Pullian v. Allen. The Board was  
   advised that the Special Committee on Amicus Curiae Briefs supported the request to file the  
   brief.

   UPON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED: The Board approved the following  
   resolution:  
   
   BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports exclusion of state and  
   federal judges acting in a judicial capacity from liability for attorneys' fees under the Civil Rights  

   BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board at the request of the National Conference of  
   State Trial Judges authorized the filing of a brief on behalf of the Association as amicus curiae  
   in the U.S. Supreme Court in Pullian v. Allen, subject to approval of the final draft of the brief by  
   the President of the Association.
BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association, in furtherance of its Goal Eight to advance the rule of law, and its long-standing commitment to the independence of judges and lawyers in all countries, deplores the interference by the Government of the Republic of Chile with the independence of judges and lawyers, in particular, the sanctioning of Appeals Court Judge Carlos Cerda Fernandez for attempting to conduct an independent investigation of "disappeared" Chilean citizens, and the arrest, prosecution, detention without charge and attempted assassination of lawyers who represent individual clients in human rights cases.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association calls upon the Government of the Republic of Chile to honor any extradition request made by the United States Government in connection with the 1976 assassination of former Chilean Foreign Minister Orlando Letelier and Ronni Karpen Moffitt, a United States citizen, in Washington, D.C., and to investigate fully and bring to justice all persons responsible for violation of fundamental human rights, including the 1986 killing in Chile of Rodrigo Rojas, a Chilean national and resident of the United States.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association further calls upon the Government of the Republic of Chile to restore basic human rights by eliminating the practices of vigilante assassinations, arbitrary detention, and torture, and by restoring the full jurisdiction of the civilian courts and the independence of judges and lawyers.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association send a delegation of five to seven lawyers and judges to Chile to discuss with counterparts there the role of the independent judiciary, military courts, and the intimidation of lawyers who represent politically unpopular clients.

The Young Lawyers Division recommended that the Board approve a resolution that the Association urges state and local judicial systems and bar associations to work to ensure that competent attorneys be appointed for every indigent at all stages of child protection proceedings, and that all attorneys receiving such appointments have sufficient training or experience to provide effective legal representation to parents.

The YLD believes that the resolution will aid the ABA's efforts in this area. Without the active intervention of judicial systems and bar associations, it has been difficult to stimulate systematic methods of selection and appointment of attorneys and to provide clearer expectations regarding the experience, preparation and performance of such attorneys. The YLD Resource Center has received a grant from the Edna McConnell-Clark Foundation to work with bar groups and courts, to strengthen legal presentation for parents in child protection cases and believes...
that the adoption of this policy statement will be of material assistance in persuading bar associations and courts to launch their own projects in this area.

UPON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED: The Board approved the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the American Bar Association urges that state and local judicial systems and bar associations work to ensure that competent attorneys be appointed for every indigent parent at all stages of protection proceedings, and that all attorneys receiving such appointments have sufficient training or experience to provide effective legal representation to parents.

104. Standards Relating to Appellate Courts
Appellate Judges Conference
February, 1988 Report 118

The proposed Standards Relating to Appellate Courts were revised by the proponents so that the overall time period for issuing an opinion from the filing of an appeal has been changed from 300 days to 280 days for both intermediate and last resort courts and the time allowed for preparation of a records has been changed from 50 days to 30 days. As revised, the Conference's recommendation was approved by voice vote. It reads:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Standards Relating to Appellate Courts are amended to reflect revisions in the black letter appellate time standards in accordance with a draft dated August, 1987, as amended.

128. Guidelines for the Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs
Standing Committee on Paralegals
February, 1990 Report 107B

RESOLVED, That Guideline 303(b) of the Guidelines and Procedures for Obtaining ABA Approval of Legal Assistant Education Programs be amended to read as follows:

THE PROGRAM OF EDUCATION FOR LEGAL ASSISTANTS SHALL BE: * * * * (b) AT LEAST 60 SEMESTER HOURS, OR EQUIVALENT, WHICH MUST INCLUDE GENERAL EDUCATION AND LEGAL SPECIALTY COURSES:

RESOLVED, That Guideline 204 be amended to read as follows: THE INSTITUTION SHALL MAINTAIN EQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY IN ITS EDUCATION PROGRAM WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION OR SEGREGATION ON THE GROUNDS OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, AGE OR SEX.

140. Amend Fair Trial Free Press Standards
Criminal Justice Section
February, 1991 Report 104C

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the creation of effective community reinvestment programs in all financial institutions to help avoid discrimination and to stabilize housing and businesses in low and moderate income communities by providing credit to residents, small businesses and projects in such communities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association is committed to placing its accounts in financial institutions that, consistent with financial and fiduciary prudence, have shown outstanding or satisfactory performance in helping to meet the credit needs of their entire communities, including low and moderate income neighborhoods.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association specifically encourages consistent with fiduciary prudence:
1) state and local bar associations and their members to consider as a significant factor in the process of choosing a financial institution, the extent to which the institution has helped to meet the credit needs of its entire community, including low and moderate income neighborhoods; and
2) state and local bar associations and their members to place at least a portion of their deposits in financial institutions that have shown outstanding or satisfactory performance in helping to meet the credit needs of their entire communities, including low and moderate income neighborhoods.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges state and local bar associations to establish special committees to inform the bar on all aspects of the drug crisis, to study the impact, consequences and effectiveness of current drug policies on their areas’ entire justice system, to participate in an examination and improvement of our nation’s drug policies and facilitate the participation by their members in anti-drug programs in their communities.
BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the enactment of federal, state and territorial legislation that: 1) Encourages the establishment of educational programs directed at school children, their parents, and juvenile services professionals on firearm safety for children, including the dangers of the use of such weapons; 2) Provides for stricter regulation of, and manufacturer's warnings on, "BB" guns and air rifles; and 3) Provides criminal penalties for adults' failure to properly safeguard firearms and ammunition they own or control, thereby placing minors at risk of death or injury.

184. Nuremberg Principles
Standing Committee on Law and National Security; Section of International Law, Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources
August, 1991 Report 118

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports efforts to strengthen the rule of law in international affairs by an appropriate investigation and, if found warranted, the apprehension, prosecution, and punishment of individuals with respect to any violations of the 1945 Nuremberg Principles and/or other grave breaches of the laws of war associated with Iraqi aggression against other states.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the Nuremberg Principles as a part of customary international law and urges the Government of the United States to support policies which will strengthen these principles and insure that, where possible, present and future war criminals are held criminally accountable for their conduct through judicial procedures in which adequate safeguards are provided to insure the protection of the rights of the accused and the achievement of international justice.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the ABA Blue Ribbon Committee on an International Criminal Court take this recommendation into account.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be provided to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Secretary General of the United Nations.

187. Guardianship/Conservatorship Legislation
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law
August, 1991 Report 120

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the initiatives of the Section of Real Property, Probate and Trust Law and the ABA Commission on the Elderly and other organizations, such as the Conference of Chief Justices, the conference of Special Court Judges, the Conference of State Trial Judges, the American College of Probate Judges and the American College of Estate and Trust Counsel to encourage continuing improvement of the guardianship and conservatorship laws and procedures within the several states.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That in view of these initiatives the Association believes that the enactment of federal legislation is unnecessary at this time.
BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urge the Congress to eliminate, or to substantially liberalize the retirement earnings test in Social Security.

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports efforts to educate the public about the critical need for organ and tissue donations, and supports efforts to inform the legal community and clients of the opportunities to make these donations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all attorneys to raise with their clients, when appropriate, the topic of organ and tissue donations and to provide donation forms to those clients who indicate an interest in making a donation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges the legal community to coordinate its efforts with respect to organ and tissue donations with the efforts of the medical community, including doctors, nurses, paramedics, hospitals, organ and tissue registries (in particular, The Living Bank, the only national multi-organ and tissue donor registry), and others involved in organ and tissue transplantation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports efforts to bring uniformity, comity, and universality to the law and practice of organ and/or tissue donation and encourages all states to enact the 1987 version of the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association recommends that the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act be revised to provide that an agent under a durable power of attorney may be granted authority to effectuate the principal's document of donation.

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association establish standards for accrediting private organizations which certify lawyers as specialists, and that it establish and maintain a mechanism to accredit such organizations which meet those standards.
242. Amendments to ERISA and IRC
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law
August, 1992 Report 108

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports amendments to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA") and the Internal Revenue Code ("Code") which would enable pension benefit plans as defined in Section 3(2) of ERISA and pension, profit sharing and stock bonus plans which meet the requirements for qualification contained in Code Section 401(a) to honor the terms and provisions of premarital and postmarital agreements between spouses if:

(a) the premarital or postmarital agreement is filed with the plan administrator;

(b) the plan administrator notifies the spouse who is not a participant in the plan of the filing of the premarital or postmarital agreement; and

(c) either:

(i) the nonparticipant spouse confirms to the plan administrator that the agreement is valid and the spouse understands the effect of the agreement; or

(ii) the plan administrator is provided with a qualified domestic relations order to the effect that the agreement is valid.

247. Funding for Public Housing
Section of Affordable Housing and Community Development
August, 1992 Report 113

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports increased funding and development of well-managed, secure public and federally-assisted housing and housing programs which meet the needs of all tenants, particularly those who are low-income, elderly or have disabilities, and which do not violate the intent and principles of the civil rights laws and the goals of our nation’s housing programs.

252. Federal Judiciary Control over Space and Facilities
Judicial Division, Appellate Judges Conference
August, 1992 Report 119

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports in principle legislation which provides the federal judiciary with control over its space and facilities.

253. Judicial Abstention on ABA Policy
Judicial Division, Appellate Judges Conference
August, 1992 Report 120

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association should develop policies and procedures by which members may record their abstention from discussion and voting.

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the concept of establishing mechanisms to stimulate private-sector development or commercialization of technologies that are critical to national security and economic competitiveness.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges state, territorial and local bar associations to establish policies in support of community service programs that (1) challenge teens and young adults to develop a sense of purpose and self-worth, (2) revitalize urban areas by fostering civic pride and volunteerism and (3) join with coalitions to help prevent the erosion of families and communities through drug abuse and related crime and violence.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges state, territorial and local bar associations to encourage participation in community service programs by bar members, law firms, and law schools.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges Congress to reject amendments to Rule 26(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States, Advisory Committee on Civil Rules, requiring disclosure of discovery materials without specific written requests.

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association encourages the adoption of voluntary, pretrial drug testing programs to assist judicial officers in determining appropriate conditions of release; and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That adequate treatment should be provided to assist individuals in complying with a release order requiring pretrial drug testing; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the framework for conditional release involving pretrial drug testing should include graduated sanctions; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That there should be procedures in place to ensure the integrity of the testing program and accuracy of test results; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the results of pretrial drug testing, or refusal to submit to such testing, should not be admissible as evidence of the guilt of a defendant on an underlying charge.

338. Drug Crisis
Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs
February, 1994 Report 100

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association supports the development of a comprehensive, systemic approach to addressing the needs of defendants with drug and alcohol problems through multidisciplinary strategies that include coordination among the criminal justice, health, social service and education systems, and the community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges the courts to adopt treatment-oriented, diversionary drug court programs as one component of a comprehensive approach that

(i) intervene with drug-involved defendants immediately after arrest and divert eligible defendants to treatment programs in lieu of criminal prosecution, (ii) provide carefully structured treatment programs with explicit criteria governing the successful and unsuccessful participation of defendants, including the identification of clear expectations as to the defendant’s responsibilities for participation in the program, (iii) establish the expected outcomes of the program with periodic evaluation; (iv) require frequent and direct contact with a supervising judge and the courtroom team assigned to the judge; and (v) target carefully the population of defendants with drug-related problems to be served by the program to maximize the program's effectiveness.

. . . BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges state, local and territorial bar associations to facilitate the development of treatment-oriented, diversionary drug court programs that result in dismissal of drug-related charges upon the completion of drug rehabilitation.

356. Prevention
Forum Committee on Affordable Housing and Community Development
August, 1994 Report 10B

BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges state and local bar associations to join it in preventing homelessness by developing, supporting, and leading state and local initiatives, projects and programs which result in:
a) establishment of state/local coordinating groups composed of public and private agencies, including representation from landlord and tenant groups and lending agencies, to develop ways to prevent residential evictions from leading to homelessness;

b) review and revision, if appropriate, of all statutes and ordinances, court procedures or technology, and other practices which may result in avoidable residential evictions and foreclosures of low-income households;

c) provision of counsel at no cost to low-income persons involved in court proceedings which may result in residential eviction and foreclosure;

d) development of alternative methods, such as mediation, for resolving landlord/tenant disputes and mortgage foreclosures prior to court proceedings;

e) establishment of emergency tenant and homeowner assistance funds through use of state/local and territorial resources and through allocation of federal funds, which are available to local governments through such programs as Community Development Block Grants;

f) education of the public, including governmental agencies, residential landlords and tenants, and nonprofit organizations on homelessness prevention through dissemination of information about (i) early intervention in landlord/tenant problems, (ii) financial assistance programs, (iii) legal rights when faced with eviction or foreclosure, and (iv) options for alternative housing;

g) training programs for low-income tenants and homeowners, for landlords, for pro bono attorneys and other volunteers, and for organizations and agencies assisting low-income households which focus on (i) the responsibilities of landlords and tenants to one another, (ii) methods of ownership preparedness programs, and (iii) the particular skills which lawyers may use to prevent homelessness when representing clients who may lose or have lost residential housing; and

h) involvement of law school faculty and students, where appropriate, in counseling/representing persons with housing problems and in assisting with legislative review and evaluation of court practices and procedures in the housing area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association will cooperate in supplying expertise, clearinghouse services, and other assistance to those state and local bar associations which undertake the programs and projects consistent with the intent of this resolution.

357. Juvenile Justice in Unified Children and Family Courts
Center on Children and the Law, Government and Public Sector Division, the Young Lawyers Division, Individual Rights and Responsibilities and Litigation, the Hawaii State Bar Association, the National Conference of Women's Bar Associations
August, 1994 Report 10C

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association pledges itself to promoting the implementation of unified children and family court systems as described in Standard 1.1 of the Standards Relating to Court Organization and Administration and enunciated below, recognizing that the manner of administering these courts may differ among states and jurisdictions.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association endorses the following clarifications and additions to the components of unified children and family courts:

(1) Intake processes by which families will be initially assisted and expeditiously directed to the appropriate entity in the court system to meet their needs.

(2) Provision and/or integration of comprehensive services and other assistance, as appropriate, for children and families in the courts. Appropriate services can include, but should not be limited to, representation, alternative dispute resolution, guardians ad litem, financial and housing assistance. A unified children and family court must have all authority which is supported by its constitutional, statutory and equitable powers to order other government agencies, e.g., housing authorities, mental health agencies, etc., to provide services to families.

(3) Provision and encouragement of “alternative” dispute resolution techniques such as mediation, where appropriate, or where all parties request such an alternative, to resolve family issues. Such techniques are not meant to compromise legal protections and confidentiality and are subject to the development of standards and guidelines.

(4) Development and enforcement of time standards for cases involving the custody or out of home placement of children, e.g., foster care placement, adoption, etc., to prevent prolonged uncertainty that may adversely affect family members, particularly young children. To ensure speedy resolution of all cases in the children and family courts, sufficient resources should be provided to allow judges and social workers to devote adequate time to each case, including sufficient support personnel so that judges can devote their time to adjudicating adversarial issues while trained court staff review uncontested decrees, perform case management and so forth.

(5) An integrated management information system which includes monitoring, tracking, and coordinating all cases in the division to assure either that one judge be assigned to handle all matters pertaining to one family or that all judges presiding over matters affecting one family are made aware of other pending cases affecting that family and shall coordinate to the greatest extent possible all judicial efforts regarding that family.

(6) Assurance that judges and court personnel who work in the children and family court are adequately prepared for and receive on-going training in family court issues including, among other things, domestic violence, child psychology, and the value and methods of alternative dispute resolution.

(7) Adequate oversight of the new court system's performance and outcomes while keeping confidential all information which would tend to identify individual children except if the release of such information is necessary to assure provision of appropriate services for those children.
REPORT

Pursuant to Report 400, adopted by the House of Delegates in 1996, the Association is annually required to review policies adopted by the House of Delegates that have been in existence ten years or more. See Report 400 attached as Appendix A. Those policies that are outdated, duplicative, inconsistent with current policy or no longer relevant are to be archived. The review process operates from the premise that any policy on the list will be archived unless there is a request to remove it from the archival list and retain it as current policy. Once archived, it may no longer be cited as current policy. An archived policy is not considered to be rescinded, but rather is retained by the Association for historical purposes only.

The Resolution and Impact Review Committee reviewed the current archiving procedure and determined that it was time to revisit policies that were originally considered for archiving but retained. To date, every policy that is at least ten years old has been considered for archiving once. In the first several years after the procedure was instituted, over 1000 policies were examined. Of those, about one-third were archived. In subsequent years, policies were examined when they became 10 years old. The vast majority of policies that were passed in the last twenty years have been retained at the request of the sponsoring entity, the Office of Governmental Affairs or a member of the House.

This year, the Resolution and Impact Review Committee has reviewed policies through 1994 which were previously considered for archiving but retained. The process of reviewing previously retained policies began in spring of 2012 and will continue over the next year. To accomplish this objective, the Division for Policy Administration compiled an index of such policies set forth in either the ABA Policy and Procedures Handbook or the American Bar Association Legislative Issues list maintained by the Governmental Affairs Office. Some 389 policies were thus identified. Each entity, which had been the original sponsor, was sent a list of the policies it had sponsored. In cases where the original sponsoring entity was no longer in existence, the policies were sent to an appropriate successor entity. The 54 entities to which the policies were sent are listed in Appendix B.

Each entity was asked to identify which of the policies should be archived and which should be retained as current policy. In addition, each was requested to identify and include a recommended disposition for any other policies that had been generated which were not in the materials they received. Those retained as current policy through this process will be reviewed again in 10 years. Retained policies are listed in Appendix C.

Respectfully submitted,

Honorable Cara Lee Neville, Secretary
American Bar Association
August 2014
APPENDIX A
Approved by the House of Delegates, August, 1996

Report No. 400
The resolution was approved as amended as follows:

RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association adopts a procedure to archive policies which are 10 years old or older and which are outdated, duplicative, inconsistent or no longer relevant. Such archived policies will be retained for historical purposes but shall not be considered current policy for the Association and shall not be expressed as such.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the archiving shall be implemented as follows:

1. All policies adopted by the House of Delegates shall be reviewed, with the exception of uniform state laws, model codes, guidelines, standards, ABA Constitution and Bylaws, and House Rules of Procedures.

2. To phase in this process, the periodic mandated review will in the first year, 1997, address policies 20 years old or older; in the second year policies 15 years old or older; and in the third year and each year thereafter, policies 10 years old or older.

3. Prior to each Annual meeting, a list of affected policies will be compiled and circulated to the original sponsoring entities and to each member of the House identifying those policies which will be placed on the archival list.

4. At each Annual Meeting, a recommendation will be submitted to archive certain policies and the House will vote on the recommendations.

5. Those policies which are not archived will be subject to review every ten years thereafter.

6. Any policy 10 years old or older that is not contained within the ABA Policy and Procedures Handbook (The Green Book) or any Legislative Issues list published by the ABA and that has not been subject to the review set forth in these principles is considered to be archived.

7. This archival process is not intended to affect the rights of any member of the House to propose amendments or rescission of any policies as presently permitted under House rules.

FURTHER RESOLVED, That an approved Uniform Act promulgated by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Law (NCCUSL) shall be placed on the archival list only when such an Act has been removed from the active list of the NCCUSL.
APPENDIX B

The entities below reviewed and recommended disposition of the policies contained in the report:

Section and Divisions
Affordable Housing and Community Development
Antitrust Law
Appellate Judges Conference
Business Law
Criminal Justice Section
Family Law
Health Law Section
Individual Rights and Responsibilities
Intellectual Property Law
International Law
Judicial Division
Labor and Employment Law
Law Practice Management Section
Law Student Division
Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
Litigation
Public Contract Law
Real Property, Trust and Estate Law
Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division
Taxation
Young Lawyers Division

Standing Committees
Continuing Legal Education
Federal Judicial Improvements
Federal Judiciary
Judicial Independence
Law and National Security
Lawyer Referral and Information Service
Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
Pro Bono and Public Service
Professional Discipline
Professionalism
Public Education
Special Committees and Commissions

Center for Professional Responsibility
Center for Racial and Ethnic Diversity
Commission on Governance

State & Local and Territorial Bar Association

Arkansas Bar Association
Bar Association of San Francisco
Boston Bar association
Chicago Bar Association
Hawaii State Bar Association
Illinois State Bar Association
Los Angeles County Bar Association
Louisiana State Bar Association
Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.
Massachusetts Bar Association
New York City Bar Association
Ohio State Bar Association
Philadelphia Bar Association
State Bar of Arizona
State Bar of Michigan
The State Bar of California
Virgin Islands Bar Association

Affiliated Organizations

American Immigration Lawyers Association
Policies Not to be Archived

1. Legal Services Corporation
   Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
   February, 1965

2. United Nations
   Section of International Law
   February, 1966

3. Legal Aid
   Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
   February, 1966

10. Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons
    Section of International Law
    January, 1969

11. Delay
    Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section
    August, 1969

13. Revised Standards and Practices for Civil Legal Aid
    Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
    August, 1970

16. Tax Court Jurisdiction
    Section of Taxation
    February, 1971

17. Czechoslovakia
    Section of International Law
    February, 1971

18. Deposition
    Section of International Law
    August, 1971

19. Death Sentence
    Special Committee on Death Penalty Representation Project
    October, 1971

22. Legal Assistance for Servicemen and Dependents
    Standing Committee on Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
    August, 1972

23. Federal Criminal Code
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1973
24. Special Committee on Standards for the Administration of Criminal Justice
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1973

25. OEO Legal Services Corporation
   Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
   May 7, 1973

26. Creation of Special Committee on Pro Bono Publico Activities
   Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
   May, 1973

28. Equal Rights Equality Between Single and Married Person
   Section of Taxation
   February, 1974

29. Discrimination, Tax
   Section of Taxation
   August, 1974

30. Appellate Court Procedure
    Section of Litigation
    August, 1974

31. Criminal Planning Groups
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1975

33. Standards Relating to Appellate Courts
    Judicial Division
    February, 1977

35. Professional Discipline (The Model Federal Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement)
    Standing Committee on Professional Discipline
    February, 1978

36. Regulatory Reform-Specialization
    Standing Committee on Specialization
    February, 1978

37. Discrimination
    Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
    August 3, 1978 - August 4, 1978

38. Criminal Justice Standards
    Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
    August, 1978

40. National Institute of Justice
    Standing Committee on Public Education
    February 8, 1979
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41. Juvenile Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1979

42. Federal Securities Code
   Section of Business Law
   February, 1979

44. American Convention on Human Rights
   Section of International Law
   August, 1979

46. Specialization in the Legal Profession
   Standing Committee on Specialization
   August, 1979

48. Juvenile Justice Standards
   Commission on Youth at Risk
   February, 1980

49. Discrimination in the Judiciary
   Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
   April 11, 1980

50. Judicial Compensation
    Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
    August, 1980

52. Private Lawyer Involvement
    Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
    October 2, 1980

54. Court Costs and Delay
    Judicial Division
    August, 1981

55. Federal Agency Rulemaking Procedures
    Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
    August, 1981

56. Legal Aid-Adequate Funding to Provide Counsel to Indigent Defendants
    Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division
    August, 1981

57. Free Speech and Press
    Section of International Law
    February, 1982

58. International Court of Justice
    Section of International Law and Practice
    February, 1982
59. Judicial Compensation  
Judicial Division  
April 15, 1982

60. Legal Expenses  
Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division  
August, 1982

61. Military Pay  
Section of Family Law  
August, 1982

62. Attorney-Client Privilege/European Communities  
Section of International Law  
February, 1983

64. Model Rules of Professional Conduct  
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility  
February, 1983

65. Bail on Appeal  
Criminal Justice Section  
February, 1984

66. Model Rule for Advisory Opinion on the Unauthorized Practice of law  
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility  
February, 1984

67. Lawyer Mediators  
Section of Family Law  
August, 1984

68. Standards for State Judicial Retirement Plans  
Judicial Division  
August, 1984

69. Court Costs and Delay  
National Conference of State Trial Judges  
August, 1984

70. Participation in Association  
Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
August, 1984

71. Criminal Justice Standards  
Criminal Justice Section  
August, 1984

72. Foreign Legal Consulting  
Section of International Law  
April 24, 1985
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73. Child Witnesses
    Criminal Justice Section
    August, 1985

74. Dram Shop and Host Liability
    Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
    August, 1985

75. Lawyer Referral Service
    Lawyer Referral and Information Service
    August, 1985

76. Visa Denials
    Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities, Standing Committee on Law and National Security
    February, 1986

77. Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment
    Section of International Law
    February, 1986

78. Convention Establishing the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)
    Section of International Law
    February, 1986

79. Arbitration
    Section of International Law
    February, 1986

80. Extradition Treaty with the United Kingdom
    Section of International Law
    February, 1986

81. Suggested Guidelines for Reducing Adverse Effects of Case Continuances and Delays on Crime Victims and Witnesses
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1986

82. Peremptory Challenges
    Criminal Justice Section
    February, 1986

83. Standards Relating to Appellate Courts
    Appellate Judges Conference
    February, 1986

84. Internal Revenue Service Funding
    Section of Taxation
    February, 1986
85. Rule of Law
   Rule of Law Initiative
   August, 1986

86. Hearing-Impaired Attorneys
   Young Lawyers Division
   August, 1986

87. Women and Minorities as Judges
   Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
   August, 1986

88. Peaceful Settlement of Conflict
   Section of International Law
   August, 1986

89. Standards for Lawyers Discipline and Disability Proceedings
   Standing Committee on Professional Discipline
   August, 1986

90. Social Security Court
   Commission on Legal Problems of the Elderly; Commission on Disability Rights
   August, 1986

91. Suggested Guidelines for Reducing Adverse Effects of Case Continuances and Delays on Crime Victims and Witnesses
   Criminal Justice Section
   November 21, 1986

92. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   February 12, 1987

93. Government in the Sunshine Act
   Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
   February, 1987

94. Cayman Islands
   Section of International Law
   February, 1987

95. Model Rules of Professional Conduct
   Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
   February, 1987

96. Preindictment Review
   Section of Criminal Justice, Section of Taxation
   June 3, 1987

98. Pretrial Discovery
   Criminal Justice Section
   August, 1987
99. Criminal Justice Standards
   Criminal Justice Section
   August, 1987

100. Court of Military Appeals
     Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division
     August, 1987

101. Peace in Central America
     Section of International Law
     August, 1988

103. Association Standards for Judicial Education
     Judicial Division
     February, 1988

105. Model Rule for Trust Account Overdraft Notification
     Standing Committee on Lawyers’ Responsibility for Client Protection; Standing
     Committee on Professional Discipline
     February, 1988

106. Guidelines Governing Restitution to Victims of Criminal Conduct
     Criminal Justice Section
     August, 1988

107. Criminal Justice Standards
     Criminal Justice Section
     August, 1988

108. Guidelines Regarding the Rights of Witnesses in Congressional
     Criminal Justice Section
     August, 1988

109. Model Rule for Minimum Continuing Legal Education
     Standing Committee on Continuing Legal Education
     August, 1988

110. Patent Infringement
     Section of Intellectual Property Law
     August, 1988

111. Capital Punishment
     Criminal Justice Section, Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
     February, 1989

112. Terrorism
     Section of International Law
     February, 1989
113. Model Rule for Minimum Continuing Legal Education
Standing Committee on Continuing Legal Education
February, 1989

114. Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
February, 1989

115. Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
February, 1989

116. Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility; Standing
Committee on Specialization; Section of Taxation
February, 1989

117. Guidelines for the Appointment and Performance of Counsel in Death Penalty
Cases
Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants; Criminal Justice
Section; Section of Litigation
February, 1989

118. Access Charges
Technology and Information Systems
April, 1989

119. World Peace Through Law Conference
Section of International Law
June 16, 1989

120. Court Appointed Special Advocates
Judicial Division
Annual, 1989

121. Work Criteria For Federal Judges
Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
August, 1989

122. Standards for the Approval of Law Schools
Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar
August, 1989

123. Model Joint Custody Statute
Section of Family Law
August, 1989

124. Amendment of the Uniform Code of Military Justice
Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
August, 1989
125. Disability Rights  
Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities, Young Lawyers Division  
August, 1989

126. Model Rule for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement  
Standing Committee on Professional Discipline  
August, 1989

127. Model Rules of Professional Conduct  
State Bar of California, Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division and Law  
Practice Division and STC on Ethics and Professional Responsibility  
February, 1990

129. Model Rules of Professional Conduct  
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility  
February, 1990

130. Asylum and Refugee process and Procedure  
American Immigration Lawyers Association  
February, 1990

131. Model Rules of Professional Conduct  
STC on Professional Discipline, Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional  
Responsibility, the Standing Committee on Professionalism, Criminal Justice Section,  
The Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities and the Section of Litigation  
February, 1990

132. Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938  
Section of Intellectual Property Law  
June 15, 1990

133. Judicial Improvement Act of 1990  
Standing Committee on Federal Judicial improvements  
June 15, 1990

134. Creation of International Criminal Court  
Milwaukee Bar Association, Section of International Law  
February, 1991

135. Amending Investment Advisor Act  
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
February, 1991

136. CERCLA  
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
February, 1991

137. Membership Benefits to Disabled Members  
Young Lawyers Division  
February, 1991
138. Funding for Indigent Defense Programs
Criminal Justice Section; Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants
February, 1991

139. Civil and Criminal Forfeiture
Criminal Justice Section
February, 1991

141. Amendment to The Defense Function Standards
Criminal Justice Section
February, 1991

142. Oppose Administrative Subpoenas by FBI
Criminal Justice Section
February, 1991

143. Religious Liberty Restoration Act
Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
February, 1991

144. Attorney Impairment Programs
Commission on Impaired Attorneys
February, 1991

145. Legal Assistant Program
Standing Committee on Paralegals
February, 1991

146. Amend House Rules of Procedure
Section of Labor and Employment Law
February, 1991

147. Redistricting Congressional, Legislative and Local Government Districts
Standing Committee on Election Law
February, 1991

148. Social Security Act
Judicial Division
February, 1991

149. Iraq’s Invasion of Kuwait
Section of International Law
February, 1991

151. Hong Kong Bill of Rights
Section of International Law; Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
February, 1991

152. Pacific Rim Economic Agreement
Section of International Law
February, 1991
153. Monitoring & Evaluation of Providers of Legal Service  
   Standing Committee on Legal Aid and Indigent Defendants  
   February, 1991

154. Recycling  
   State and Local Government Law  
   February, 1991

155. Candidates for the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit  
   Section of Intellectual Property Law  
   February, 1991

156. U.N. Convention on Rights of the Child  
   Young Lawyers Division, Section of Family Law, the Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities and the Section of International Law  
   February, 1991

157. IOLTA  
   Commission on Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts  
   February, 1991

158. Bicentennial of the Bill of Rights  
   Standing Committee on Public Education  
   February, 1991

159. Cambodia & Vietnam  
   Section of International Law  
   February, 1991

160. Amend Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act  
   Judge Advocates Association  
   February, 1991

161. Study of Bar Passage Rate  
   Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar  
   February, 1991

162. Provisional Law School Approval  
   Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar  
   February, 1991

163. Megatrials  
   Criminal Justice Section, National Conference of Federal Trial Judges; Illinois State Bar Association  
   August, 1991

164. Protection of the Environment  
   Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section; Section of Business Law; Section of International Law; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association  
   August, 1991
165. Bias in Judicial System  
STC on Federal Judicial Improvements; Commission on Women in the Profession;  
Center for Racial and Ethnic Diversity; Criminal Justice Section; New York City Bar  
Association; Boston Bar Association  
August, 1991

167. Rust v. Sullivan  
Beverly Hills Bar Association; Bar Association of San Francisco  
August, 1991

168. Justice System Funding  
Los Angeles County Bar Association  
August, 1991

169. Blanket Authority  
Section of Intellectual Property Law  
August, 1991

170. Professionalism in Legal Education  
Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section  
August, 1991

171. Revised Standards for Criminal Justice  
Criminal Justice Section  
August, 1991

172. Model Guidelines for the Utilization of Legal Assistant Programs  
Commission on Lawyers Assistance Programs  
August, 1991

173. Grant Approval and Denial of Legal Assistant Programs  
Standing Committee on Paralegals  
August, 1991

174. Amendment to the Model Rules of Conduct  
STC on Ethics and Professional Responsibility; Illinois Bar Association  
August, 1991

175. Amend Social Security Act  
Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice  
August, 1991

176. Dissemination of Information in Electronic Form  
Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice  
August, 1991

178. Record Lyrics and Advisory Logos for Records  
Young Lawyers Division  
August, 1991
179. Notification to Recipient of Judgments  
Standing Committee on Client Protection; Standing Committee on Professional Discipline  
August, 1991

180. Court Related Needs of the Elderly  
Commission on Law and Aging; Commission on Disability Law  
August, 1991

181. Protection for Refugees  
Section of International Law  
August, 1991

182. Civil Rights Attorney’s Fees Awards Act  
Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
August, 1991

183. Federal Death Penalty Legislature and Native Americans  
Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
August, 1991

185. Debtor’s Counsel in Bankruptcy  
Section of Business Law  
August, 1991

186. Amendment of Bankruptcy Code  
Section of Business Law  
August, 1991

188. Ancillary Business Activities  
Section of Litigation  
August, 1991

189. Cameras in Federal Courts  
Division for Public Education  
August, 1991

190. Retirement for Judges of the U.S. Court of Military Appeals  
Legal Assistance for Military Personnel  
August, 1991

192. International Antitrust Law  
Section of Antitrust Law  
August, 1991

193. Judicial Impact Statements  
Judicial Division  
August, 1991

194. Amendment to Standards Relating to Trial Court  
Judicial Division  
February, 1992
195. Amendment to Standards for Criminal Justice  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1992

196. Reauthorization of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1992

197. Illiteracy Among Criminal Offenders  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1992

198. Adult Community Correction Act  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1992

199. Amendment to Federal Rules of Criminal Procedures  
   Criminal Justice Section  
   February, 1992

   Judicial Division  
   February, 1992

202. Adoption of Trial Management Standards  
   Judicial Division - National Conference of State Trial Judges  
   February, 1992

203. Site Specific Zoning  
   State and Local Government Law  
   February, 1992

204. Retroactive Tax Legislation  
   Section of Taxation  
   February, 1992

205. Amendments to Standards Imposing Lawyer Sanctions  
   Standing Committee on Professional Discipline  
   February, 1992

206. Amend the Higher Education Act of 1986  
   Law Student Division  
   February, 1992

207. Guardians Ad Litem  
   Section of Family Law  
   February, 1992

208. Garnishment of Wages  
   Section of Family Law  
   February, 1992
209. Survivor Annuity Payment  
Section of Family Law  
February, 1992

210. Innocent Later Spouse  
Section of Family Law  
February, 1992

211. Legal Assistant and Paralegal Programs  
Standing Committee on Paralegals  
February, 1992

212. Long Term Care Needs  
Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section  
February, 1992

213. Rulemaking Impact Analyses  
Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice  
February, 1992

214. Federal Legislation Concerning the NIH  
Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
February, 1992

215. Funds for Campus Placement Facilities  
Law Student Division, Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
February, 1992

216. Exemption of Capital Gains by Foreign Investors  
Section of International Law  
February, 1992

217. Sexual Harassment  
Commission on Women in the Profession  
February, 1992

218. Status of Law Library of Congress  
Standing Committee of Law Library of Congress  
February, 1992

219. Disciplinary Enforcement System  
Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary  
February, 1992

220. Conduct of Legislation between Federal and State Courts  
Section of Antitrust Law  
February, 1992
221. Limitation on Pretrial Discovery in Civil Cases
Section of Antitrust Law
February, 1992

222. Retroactive Legislation on Rulemaking
Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
February, 1992

223. Reestablishment of the Department of Justice of the Office for Improvements in the Administration of Justice
Standing Committee on Federal Judicial Improvements
February, 1992

224. Bankruptcy Appellate Panels
Standing Committee on Federal Judicial Improvements
February, 1992

225. Rules of Evidence for Administrative Agency Adjudication
Federal Bar Association
February, 1992

226. ABA Support for Citizenship Education
Standing Committee on Public Education
February, 1992

228. Strengthen Programs for at Risk Youth
Commission on Homelessness & Poverty
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229. CLE Presenters
State Bar of California
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230. Ancillary Business Activities of Lawyers
Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
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231. Justice System Impact Statements
Los Angeles County Bar Association, Standing Committee on Judicial Independence
August, 1992

232. 401(K) Pension Plans
King County Bar Association
August, 1992

233. Voting Rights for American Territories
Virgin Islands Bar Association
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234. Right to Terminate Pregnancy
Section of International Law, Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
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235. Refund of Estate Tax  
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236. Maintain a Declaratory Judgment Action  
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237. Gasoline Prices  
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238. Access to Military Installations  
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239. Legal Assistants Program  
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240. Reallocation Delivery of Legal Services in Military Installations  
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August, 1992

241. Campaign Financing  
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August, 1992

243. Honduras Compliance with InterAmerican Court of Human Rights  
Section of International Law, New York State Bar Association  
August, 1992

244. Right to Terminate Pregnancy  
Section of International Law, Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
August, 1992

245. International Criminal Court  
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246. Member Benefits for Disabled Lawyers  
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248. Judicial Participation in Public Education Programs  
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249. Security for Information in Electronic Form  
Section of Science and Technology  
August, 1992

250. Payment of Survivor Benefits  
Section of Family Law  
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251. Amendment of IRC  
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254. Funding of Welfare Programs  
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August, 1992

255. University of Bridgeport School of Law  
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256. Material Disclosure in Real Estate Transaction  
Young Lawyers Division  
August, 1992

257. Arms Trading Guidelines  
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August, 1992

258. Debt Repayment to the United Nations  
Section of International Law, Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities  
August, 1992

259. Amendment to Model Rule of Professional Conduct  
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260. Regulation of Franchise Sales  
Section of Antitrust Law  
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261. CUNY Law School  
Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar  
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262. Bridgeport Law School at Quinnipiac College  
Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar  
August, 1992

263. Jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals  
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264. Revision of Model Rule of Professional Conduct
   Standing Committee on Pro Bono and Public Service
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265. Law School Standards
   Illinois State Bar Association
   February, 1993

266. Summer Job Programs for Inner City Youth
   Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
   February, 1993

267. State and Small Firm Representation in the American Bar Association
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   February, 1993

268. Tariff Act of 1930
   Section of International Law
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269. Sale of a Marital Residence
   Section of Taxation
   February, 1993

270. Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1992
   Section of Taxation
   February, 1993

271. Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Certification
   Senior Lawyers Division
   February, 1993

272. Government Funding Programs
   Individual Rights and Responsibilities
   February, 1993

273. Standards for Accreditation of Specialty Certification
   Standing Committee on Specialization
   February, 1993

274. Rulemaking Oversight
   Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
   February, 1993

275. Military Administrative Discharges
   Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
   February, 1993

276. Rules for Court Martial
   Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
   February, 1993
277. Amendment to the Victims of Crime Act of 1984
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   February, 1993

278. Sentencing Alternatives and Procedures
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1993

279. Parallel and Concurrent Proceedings
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1993

280. Uniform Victims of Crime Act
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1993

281. Hague Conference on Private International Law
   Section of International Law
   February, 1993

282. North American Free Trade Agreement
   Section of International Law
   February, 1993

283. International Abduction
   Section of International Law
   February, 1993

284. Trust Account Records
   Commission on Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts
   February, 1993

285. Workers Compensation
   Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section
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286. Legal Assistant Programs
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   February, 1993

287. Judicial Reform and Discipline
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288. Law Library of Congress Funding and Cost Recovery
   Standing Committee on Law Library of Congress
   February, 1993

289. Repeal of Wards Cove Exemption
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   February, 1993
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290. Interstate Child Support
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291. Adoption
Section of Family Law
February, 1993

292. Soldiers’ and Sailors’ Civil relief Act
Judge Advocate Association
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295. American Bar Association Standards for the Approval of Law Schools
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February, 1993

296. Standards for Approval of Law School Credit Requirement
Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
February, 1993

297. Amendments to Immigration and Nationality Act
New York County Lawyers’ Association
August, 1993

298. Recovery of Legal Assistant and Paralegal Fees
Standing Committee on Paralegals
August, 1993

299. Amending ABA Law School Standards
Illinois State Bar Association
August, 1993

300. Model Supreme Court Rules Governing Lawyer Referral Services
Lawyer Referral and Information Services
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301. Law and Order in Guatemala
Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.
August, 1993

303. Pro Bono programs for Law Schools
Philadelphia Bar Association
August, 1993

304. Restriction of Sale of Assault Weapons
Bar Association of San Francisco
August, 1993

305. Sexual Harassment in the Military
Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
August, 1993
306. Amendments to Trial by Jury Standards
Criminal Justice Section
August, 1993

307. Independent Counsel Provisions of the Ethics in Government Act
Criminal Justice Section
August, 1993

308. Correctional Facilities Accreditation
Criminal Justice Section
August, 1993

309. Social Security Act and Disability Benefits
Individual Rights and Responsibilities
August, 1993

310. Required use of Contraceptives and Sterilization
Individual Rights and Responsibilities
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311. Amendments to Model Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement
Standing Committee on Professional Discipline
August, 1993

312. Amend § 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930
Section of International Law
August, 1993

313. Uruguay Round and GATT
Section of International Law
August, 1993

314. Start II Treaty
Section of International Law
August, 1993

315. Licensing of Foreign
Section of International Law
August, 1993

316. Disclosure of Mental Health Records
Section of Family Law
August, 1993

317. Legal Assistants Program
Standing Committee on Paralegals
August, 1993

318. Congressional Committees on Aging
Commission on Law and Aging
August, 1993
319.  Environmental Equality for Low Income Populations
       Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources
       August, 1993

320.  Amendments to Federal Deposit Insurance Act
       Section of Business Law
       August, 1993

321.  Servicemen’s Group Life Insurance
       Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
       August, 1993

322.  Internal Revenue Code of 1986
       Section of Taxation
       August, 1993

323.  Limit Availability of Civil Action under RICO
       Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
       August, 1993

324.  Amendment to Model Rule of Professional Conduct
       Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
       August, 1993

325.  Guidelines for Initiatives and Referenda
       Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section
       August, 1993

326.  Voting Rights for Homeless Persons
       Standing Committee on Election Law
       August, 1993

328.  National Service Legislation for Law Students
       Law Student Division
       August, 1993

329.  Model Rule for Random Audit of Lawyers Trust Accounts
       Commission on Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts
       August, 1993

330.  Nonlegislative Rulemaking
       Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
       August, 1993

331.  Accreditation of Specialty Certification Programs
       Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
       August, 1993

332.  International War Crimes Tribunal
       Section of Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
       August, 1993
333. Government Ethics Regulation
   Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice
   August, 1993

335. Legal Careers
   Illinois State Bar Association
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336. Salary Review
   State Bar of Michigan
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337. Gun Licensing
   Bar Association of San Francisco
   February, 1994

339. Attorney Retention of Legal Counsel
   Criminal Justice Section
   February, 1994

340. Rights of the Child
   Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities
   February, 1994

341. Readmit
   Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar
   February, 1994

342. Health Care
   Section of Taxation, Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law and
   Business Law Section
   February, 1994

343. Science and Technology in Judicial Decision Making
   Standing Committee on Federal Judicial Improvements
   February, 1994

344. Judicial Removal
   Judicial Division
   February, 1994

345. CERCLA
   Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources
   February, 1994

346. Workers Compensation
   Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Section
   February, 1994

347. Supplemental Security Income
   Commission on Law and Aging
   February, 1994
348. Evaluation of Legal Assistant Programs
Standing Committee on Paralegals
February, 1994

349. Amendment to Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
February, 1994

350. Tax Legislation
Section of Taxation
February, 1994

351. Intercountry Adoption
Family Law Section
February, 1994

352. Multilateral Trade Negotiations
Section of International Law
February, 1994

353. Foreign Assistance Program
Section of International Law
February, 1994

354. Amend the Rules Enabling Act
State Bar of Arizona
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355. Client Relations
Law Practice Division
August, 1994

358. Merit Selection
Judicial Division
August, 1994

359. Prevention and Reduction of Gun Violence
Standing Committee on Gun Violence
August, 1994

360. Arbitration Programs
Arkansas Bar Association
August, 1994

361. Amending Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Criminal Justice, Standing Committee on Ethics and Professional Responsibility
August, 1994

362. Standards for Criminal Justice
Criminal Justice Section
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363. Victim/Offender Program  
Criminal Justice Section  
August, 1994

364. Standards Relating to Appellate Courts  
Judicial Division  
August, 1994

365. Amend Real estate Settlement Procedures Act  
Solo Small Firm and General Practice Division  
August, 1994

366. Model Rules for Judicial Discipline Enforcement  
Standing Committee on Specialization  
August, 1994

367. Federal Investment Advisors Act  
Section of Real Property, Trust and Estate Law  
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368. Standards for the Approval of Law Schools  
Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar  
August, 1994

369. Provisional Law school Approval  
Legal Education and Admission to the Bar  
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370. Law school Termination  
Legal Education and Admission to the Bar  
August, 1994

371. Extension of the Treaty on the Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons  
Section of International Law  
August, 1994

372. Recruitment and Selection of Administrative law  
Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice  
August, 1994

373. Mental Health and Treatment  
Commission on Disability Rights  
August, 1994

374. Presidential Stipend  
Commission on Governance  
August, 1994
375. 1986 Amendment to Internal Revenue Code: Penalty on Submission of False Tax Returns
   Section of Taxation
   August, 1994

376. 1986 Amendment to Internal Revenue Code: Simplify Rules on Domestic Workers
   Section of Taxation
   August, 1994

377. Internal Revenue Service Non-Filer Program
   Section of Taxation
   August, 1994

378. Prohibition of Chemical Weapons
   Section of International Law
   August, 1994

379. Jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court
   Section of International Law
   August, 1994

380. Establishment of an International Criminal Court
   Section of International Law
   August, 1994

381. Advancement of international Human Rights
   Section on International Law
   August, 1994

382. U.N. Forces
   Section of International Law
   August, 1994

383. Antitrust Provisions of NAFTA
   Section of Antitrust Law
   August, 1994

384. Legal Assistance in the Armed Force
   Legal Assistance for Military Personnel
   August, 1994

385. Children of Workers Compensation Claimants
   Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section
   August, 1994

386. Evaluation of Legal Assistant Programs
   Standing Committee on Paralegals
   August, 1994
387. Amendments to the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct
Standing Committee on Specialization
August, 1994

388. Approval of Law Schools
Legal Education and Admission to the Bar
August, 1994

389. U.N. Law of the Sea Convention
Section of International Law
August, 1994
1. **Summary of Resolution:**

   In an ongoing effort to bring the Association's policies up to date, this resolution consists of the review of policies through 1994. A policy that is archived is not rescinded. It is retained for historical purposes, but cannot be expressed as a current position of the ABA. The Secretary recommends that the policies set forth in Attachment 1 of the resolution be archived.

2. **Approval by Submitting Entity:**

   The policies that have been placed on the archival list were reviewed by the entities that originally submitted them. In cases in which the submitting entity is now defunct, a successor entity was given the policy to review. They were originally approved by either the Board of Governors of the House of Delegates on the dates they were adopted.

3. **Has this or a similar resolution been submitted to the House for Board previously?**

   Although the Association has from time to time culled its records, the policies on the archival list have not been subject to review. They were originally approved by either the Board of Governors or the House of Delegates on the dates they were adopted.

4. **What existing Association policies are relevant to this resolution and how would they be affected?**

   The archiving of any policy would have no affect on existing policies.

5. **What urgency exists which requires action at this meeting of the House?**

   Resolution 400 mandates the review of policies 10 years old or older.

6. **Status of Legislation (If applicable)**

   N/A
7. **Brief explanation regarding plans for implementation of the policy, if adopted by the House of Delegates.**

   The Policy and Procedures Handbook will be updated to reflect those policies that have been archived.

8. **Cost to the Association.** (Both direct and indirect costs)

   Costs of Printing.

9. **Disclosure of Interest.** (If applicable)

10. **Referrals.**

    The policies identified in the Resolution with Report have been circulated to 54 entities as noted in Appendix B, and also will be sent to the Government Affairs Office.

11. **Contact Name and Address Information.** (Prior to the meeting. Please include name, address, telephone number and e-mail address)

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. Summary of the resolution
   This resolution archives Association Policies dated through 1994. A policy that is archived is not rescinded. It is retained for historical purposes, but cannot be expressed as a current position of the ABA.

2. Summary of the issue which the resolution addresses
   The archiving project, mandated by the House of Delegates in 1996, will improve the usefulness of the catalogued Association positions on issues of public policy. Many of the Association’s positions were adopted decades ago and are no longer relevant or effective.

3. An explanation of how the proposed policy will address the issue
   The archiving project will allow the Association to pursue primary objectives by focusing on current matters. It will prevent an outdated ABA policy from being cited in an attempt to refute Association witnesses testifying on more recent policy positions.

4. A summary of any minority views or opposition which have been identified
   None at this time