

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

RULES RELATING TO ADMISSION OF ATTORNEYS

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RULE 709

ADMISSION TO THE BAR UPON WRITTEN EXAMINATION

Rule 709(a) - (g) is hereby amended, effective December 1, 2012.

(a) The Board shall conduct written bar examinations on the last Tuesday and Wednesday in February and the last Tuesday and Wednesday in July.

(b) Only those applicants whose applications have been considered and approved by the Board will be permitted to take the bar examination.

(c) Each applicant for admission to the bar upon written examination shall file a completed application for admission to be received in the Office of the Clerk of the Appellate Courts on or before ~~October 15~~ October 1 (for the February examination) and on or before ~~March 15~~ March 1 (for the July examination) on forms approved by the Court and procured from the Clerk of the Appellate Courts. The completed application shall consist of:

- (1) a verified application for admission;
- (2) not less than three affidavits, on forms to be supplied by the Clerk of the Appellate Courts, from responsible persons attesting that the applicant is a person of good moral character, or such other evidence of character as shall be satisfactory to the Board; and
- (3) any other and further information as the Board then or thereafter may require for its consideration of the application.

(d) Any applicant who wishes to file a completed application for admission after the filing deadline, but on or before ~~November 15~~ November 1 (for the February examination) and on or before ~~April 15~~ April 1 (for the July examination), shall pay a late penalty fee in the amount of \$200 in addition to the application fee.

(e) Notwithstanding the deadlines set out above, any applicant who is unsuccessful on the February Kansas Bar Examination will be given 30 days from the date of the letter announcing results to make reapplication for the following July examination without imposition of a late penalty fee. Reapplication for the following July examination will not be accepted after that 30 day period.

(f) Any application returned to the applicant due to deficiencies, pursuant to Rule 713, will not be considered as timely filed.

(g) Any application received after ~~November 15~~ November 1 (for the February examination) and ~~April 15~~ April 1 (for the July examination) shall be considered as an application for the next ensuing bar examination.

By order of the Court, this 15th day of November, 2012.

FOR THE COURT

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lawton R. Nuss', written over a horizontal line.

Lawton R. Nuss
Chief Justice