



New Member Dues Notice - Admission By Exam

Mail To: Membership Department, 104 Marietta Street, N.W., Suite 100, Atlanta, GA 30303
QUESTIONS? Call 404-527-8777 OR 800-334-6865, Ext. 777

OFFICE USE: Bar Number: _____ Amount Paid: _____ Prorate amount ONLY if sworn-in between January 1-May 14

A. MEMBER STATUS ELECTION: Choose Active or Inactive.
Fees include Assessments & \$100 Legislative & Public Education Fund
 Active \$386 (With Assessments & Contribution added)
 Inactive \$278 (With Assessments & Contribution added)
The Assessments are mandatory and cannot be deducted.

B. LEGISLATIVE & PUBLIC EDUCATION FUND:
(Optional) - \$ _____

- C. SECTIONS:**
- Administrative \$15
 - Agriculture \$20
 - Antitrust \$20
 - Appellate Practice \$15
 - Aviation \$15
 - Bankruptcy \$25
 - Business \$20
 - Consumer Law \$25
 - Corporate Counsel \$25
 - Creditor Rights \$15
 - Criminal \$20
 - Dispute Resolution \$15
 - Elder Law \$20
 - Eminent Domain \$35
 - Entertainment & Sports \$25
 - Environmental \$25
 - Equine Law \$20
 - Family \$35
 - Fiduciary \$30
 - Franchise & Distribution \$20
 - General Practice & Trial \$35
 - Government Attorneys \$10
 - Health \$20
 - Immigration \$15
 - Individual Rights \$15
 - Intellectual Property \$35
 - International \$25
 - Judicial System \$10
 - Labor & Employment \$20
 - Legal Economics \$10
 - Local Government \$10
 - Military/Veterans \$15
 - Product Liability \$25
 - Real Property \$25
 - School & College \$15
 - Senior Lawyers (age 65+) \$10
 - Taxation \$20
 - Technology \$25
 - Tort & Insurance Practice \$15
 - Worker's Compensation \$25

Section Subtotal: \$ _____

D. GEORGIA LEGAL SERVICE PROGRAM :
Suggested Donation \$250 (Optional) + \$ _____

E. LATE ENROLLMENT:
ADD \$100 LATE FEE (IF APPLICABLE) + \$ _____

ADD ALL FEES AND ENTER TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: STATE BAR OF GEORGIA

PLEASE READ: In order to practice law in Georgia, you must enroll within 60 days after being sworn-in to avoid paying a \$100 Late Penalty fee. If applicable, add in at Section E.

(Bylaws: Part V, Chapter 2, Section 1 - 4). Print this form and send it in with your enrollment form, your check, and the original signed Court Order and Attorney Oath from Superior Court signifying you have been sworn-in.

Name: (Please Print) _____

Admission/Sworn-in Date: _____

ENROLLMENT WITH THE STATE BAR OF GEORGIA IS MANDATORY

Base fee for Active Dues-\$216 / Inactive Dues-\$108.

The State Bar of Georgia has added the Assessments and the Legislative & Public Education Fund contribution to the dues amount in Section A. Read about the Mandatory Assessments and the Legislative & Public Education Fund below:

Assessments-Mandatory:

Clients' Security Fund (CSF) - Provides a remedy of last resort for clients whose funds were mishandled by their attorney (\$100 maximum - paid in five-\$20 installments). See Rule 1-506.

Bar Facility Assessment (BFA) - Used to purchase, maintain and operate State Bar offices (\$200 maximum - paid in four-\$50 installments). See Rule 1-507.

Legislative & Public Education Fund-Optional \$100:

Allows the Bar to maintain a strong active voice for its members in supporting or opposing issues of importance to the administration of justice in Georgia. You may deduct the contribution if you wish not to contribute.

Georgia Legal Services Program:

Your GLSP donation is tax deductible. This program provides civil legal services for Georgia's poorest residents and helps guarantee equal access to justice, so please give generously. The suggested donation is \$250.

Notice Regarding Deductibility:

Pursuant to Sections 162(e) and 6033(e) of the Internal Revenue Code, certain lobbying and political expenses are not deductible and information concerning their non-deductibility must be communicated by tax-exempt organizations to their members. In compliance with these requirements, you are hereby notified that the \$100 voluntary contribution to the Legislative & Public Education Fund is **not tax deductible**.

PRORATED INFORMATION:

Prorated fees apply only if you have been sworn in between January 1 and May 14th of the current bar year. Otherwise, DO NOT prorate.

The prorated amounts are shown below. The Assessments and Legislative & Public Education Fund contribution are included:

Prorated Active dues - \$278.00 / Prorated Inactive dues - \$224.00

OR you may deduct the Legislative & Public Education Fund contribution and pay:

Prorated Active dues - \$178.00 / Prorated Inactive dues \$124.00

For information about the State Bar of Georgia Diversity Program please email your name and address to Marian Dockery at marian@gabar.org.