

POLICY REGARDING COLLEGE EQUIVALENCY
RULE VII OF THE
RULES REGULATING ADMISSION TO PRACTICE LAW IN CALIFORNIA

Applicants who have not completed at least two years of college work in accordance with Rule VII, Section 1 of the *Rules Regulating Admission to Practice Law in California (Rule VII)* may satisfy the general education requirements of Rule VII by attaining a score of 50 or higher on the following general examinations administered by the College Level Examination Program (CLEP):

1. Under Composition and Literature category, either;

English Composition, or
English Composition with Essay;

AND

2. Two other examinations, each designed to correspond to full-year courses (6 semester hours each*) or four other examinations, each designed to correspond to semester courses (3 semester hours each*) that can be selected from any of the following subjects:

- Composition and Literature (Humanities examination only)
- Foreign Languages
- History and Social Sciences
- Science and Mathematics
- Business

Applicants must register to take the examinations directly with CLEP and request that score reports be submitted by CLEP to the Office of Admissions of The State Bar of California. **The score recipient code for the Office of Admissions is 7165.**

Copies of informational brochures and registration forms are available at local colleges and universities, or by contacting:

The College Board
P. O. Box 6600
Princeton, NJ 08541-6600
1-800-257-9558
www.collegeboard.com

*For the Summary of Credit Recommendations for the CLEP Examinations and further information, please contact The College Board at the above address.