

ALABAMA STATE BAR ADMISSIONS OFFICE

PAPER ITEMS PACKET INSTRUCTIONS

RULE III (5) Service Member Civil Relief Act APPLICATION

The items in this packet must be completed (including notarization where applicable) and returned to the Admissions Office before processing will begin on your electronic application. Once these items have been received, you will receive confirmation and we will begin processing your application.

The items listed below are included in this packet and must be returned to the Admissions Office as instructed below.

- Acknowledgment of Complete Application
- Attorney Oath of Office
- Certificate(s) of Good Standing
- Marriage Certificate if applying as a military spouse
- Military Orders
- Rule III (5) SCRA Affidavit of Eligibility

The completed items may either be returned in hard copy format to the following address:

Alabama State Bar
Attn: Admissions
P.O. Box 671
Montgomery, AL 36101

Or

Digitally certified and returned electronically with the application using the Upload New Document feature, which appears on the user homepage after the application is submitted.

For more information, you may contact the Admissions Office at (334) 269-1515.

Applicant Name

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COMPLETE APPLICATION

I have submitted an application to the Alabama State Bar, through its online application portal and, in said application, I have answered all questions completely and fully in all respects without mental reservation or purpose of evasion. I am aware that the application is continuing in nature and that I should update my application, if necessary. I have not modified the questions in any respect.

Signature of Applicant

Date

STATE/DISTRICT OF _____

COUNTY/PARISH OF _____

Subscribed and sworn to or affirmed before me this _____ day

of _____, 20 ____ .

Signature of Notary Public

My commission expires

Seal or stamp must be affixed to each original.

**ATTORNEY OATH OF OFFICE
STATE OF ALABAMA**

STATE/DISTRICT OF _____

COUNTY/PARISH OF _____

I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will
(Name of Applicant)

demean myself as an attorney, according to the best of my learning and ability, and with all good fidelity, as well to the court as to the client; that I will use no falsehood or delay any person's cause for lucre or malice, and that I will support the constitution of the State of Alabama and of the United States, so long as I continue a citizen thereof, so help me God.

Applicant Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this the _____ day of _____, 20____

(Seal or Stamp)

Notary Public

Commission Expires

Admission Without Examination Pursuant to Rule III. (5)

Service Member Civil Relief Act Affidavit of Eligibility

1. I am applying pursuant to Rule III (5) and attest to the following under the penalty of law;
2. _____, certify that I meet the following eligibility requirements as stated in Rule III (5) of the *Rules Governing Admission to the Alabama State Bar*;
3. I am a military service member _____; *or* I am the spouse of a military service member and provided a copy of the marriage certificate with this application _____; (*initial which applies*)
4. I have or will relocate to Alabama pursuant to military orders;
5. I provided a copy of the military orders with this application;
6. I have been admitted to practice law in _____ (state(s) or jurisdiction(s));
7. I am a member in good standing with all jurisdictions in which I am admitted and not currently subject to lawyer discipline or the subject of pending lawyer discipline in any other jurisdiction;
8. I have read and understand the requirements to receive a license to practice law in the State of Alabama; and
9. I have not engaged in the unauthorized practice of law.

Signature

Typed Name

State/District of _____

County /Parish of _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the ____ day of _____, 20__.

Notary Signature

My Commission Expires: _____