Rule 15-711 October, 2017

| 1  | Rule 15-711. Grading and passing the Paralegal Practitioner Examination.                       |
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| 3  | (a) Grading the written component of the Paralegal Practitioner Examination. Essay             |
| 4  | answers shall be uniformly graded on a scale from zero to points. In order to assure           |
| 5  | maximum fairness and uniformity in grading, the Board or its designees shall prescribe         |
| 6  | procedures and standards for grading to be used by all graders.                                |
| 7  | (b) Scoring the written component of the Paralegal Practitioner Examination. The essay         |
| 8  | scores added together constitute the raw written component score. The raw written component    |
| 9  | score is scaled to the multiple choice portion of the examination using the standard deviation |
| 10 | method.  |
| 11 | (c) Weighting of exam components. The multiple choice score is weighted%, the                  |
| 12 | essay score is weighted% in calculating the Applicant's total score.                           |
| 13 | (d) Passing grade. The Applicant's total score is the sum of the scaled multiple choice        |
| 14 | score and the scaled written component score. The total score is based on a point scale.       |
| 15 | A total score of or above is required to pass the Paralegal Practitioner Examination.          |
| 16 | (e) Paralegal Practitioner Examination results are final. Examination answers will not be      |
| 17 | reread, reevaluated or regraded by the Bar or its designees.                                   |