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AN ACT

Relating to character investigation and fingerprinting of applicants to the Alaska Bar Association; and amending Rule 3, section 2 and Rule 5, section 1(b) of the Rules of the Alaska Bar Association.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

THE ACT FOLLOWS ON PAGE 1, LINE 12

Approved by the Governor: April 11, 1985
Actual Effective Date: July 10, 1985

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Relating to character investigation and fingerprinting of applicants to the Alaska Bar Association; and amending Rule 3, section 2 and Rule 5, section 1(b) of the Rules of the Alaska Bar Association.

* Section 1. AS 08.08 is amended by adding new sections to read:

Sec. 08.08.136. ASSISTANCE FROM LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS. State and local law enforcement officers shall assist the Board of Governors in the processing of fingerprints of applicants seeking admission to the Alaska Bar Association and shall release the resulting information to the association.

Sec. 08.08.137. FINGERPRINTS. The Board of Governors shall require an applicant for admission to be fingerprinted. The fingerprints shall be used to determine whether the applicant has a record of criminal convictions in this state or another jurisdiction. The Board of Governors may use the information obtained from the fingerprinting only in its official determination of the character and fitness of the applicant for admission to the Alaska Bar Association.

* Sec. 2. AS 08.08.137, enacted by sec. 1 of this Act, has the effect of amending section 2 of Rule 3 and section 1(b) of Rule 5 of the Rules of the Alaska Bar Association by requiring applicants for admission to the bar to submit to fingerprints.

* Sec. 3. AS 08.08.137, enacted by sec. 1 of this Act, applies to

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1 general applicants for admission who take a bar examination after July 31,
2 1985, and to attorney applicants who move for admission after the effective
3 date of this Act.
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