

PURPOSE & SCOPE

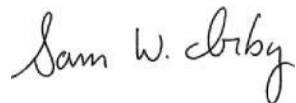
This task force shall evaluate the proposal developed by the Alabama Board of Bar Examiners and Alabama State Bar Admissions Office to restructure the Board of Bar Examiners, Committee on Character and Fitness and other aspects of the bar admissions process in Alabama. The task force shall review the proposal and its compatibility with the statutory authority for the Board of Bar Examiners found in Section 34-3-2, Code of Alabama 1975, and the Rules Governing Admission to the Alabama State Bar. The task force shall also review and evaluate all aspects of Rule VI(B), Bar Examination, of the Rules Governing Admission to the Alabama State Bar and its current use and application to determine if any changes or amendments to such rule are advisable or warranted.

The task force shall submit a written recommendation to the president of the Alabama State Bar no later than December 31, 2018. The written recommendation of the task force shall include proposed changes to relevant statutes and rules needed to effectuate the recommendation of the task force.

The task force shall elect from its membership a secretary who shall be responsible for a written record of all its actions. The secretary shall keep minutes of all meetings of the task force and a copy of the original of the minutes shall be filed with Department of External Affairs after each meeting or conference upon request.

The task force shall meet at the call of the chair or co-chair. The Alabama State Bar, through its designated staff liaison, will assist the task force in carrying out its purpose.

Done as of October 2, 2018.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sam W. Irby".

Sam W. Irby
President, Alabama State Bar