

## **PURPOSE AND SCOPE**

The Cuba Task Force of the Alabama State Bar promotes research on legal issues in the relationship between Alabama and Cuba. The laws and foreign policies of the United States and Cuba affect a wide array of legal specialties, many with a direct effect on Alabama.

This task force seeks to foster opportunities for individual and collaborative research among members with shared interests and to assist local bar associations and sections in including U.S./Alabama/Cuba issues in their programs and publications.

The task force may divide itself into such working groups as may be necessary to effectively carry out its functions. The chairperson shall appoint a chair for any working group. The task force shall elect from its membership a secretary who shall be responsible for a written record of its actions. The secretary, or a designee, shall keep minutes of all meetings of the task force, and of all working groups thereof. The original of the minutes shall be filed with the Alabama State Bar within 14 days after each meeting to be made a part of the task force's file.

The Alabama State Bar, through its designated staff liaison, will assist the task force in carrying out its purpose.

The task force and its working groups shall meet at the call of the chairperson or the working group chair, in person or by conference call as the chairperson and the working group chairs shall determine.

Done this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2020.



Robert G. Methvin, Jr., President  
Alabama State Bar