

**GOVERNMENT RELATIONS LIAISON COMMITTEE**  
**PURPOSE AND SCOPE**

The committee will provide liaison services to the State government; facilitate the function of the Legislature in passing laws which affect the judicial systems or the Alabama State Bar. Further, the Government Relations Liaison Committee may provide mediation or facilitation services at the request of members of the State government to help bring about constructive resolution of proposed legislation or to deal with problems of public concern. *However, the Committee shall in no way assert political positions or engage in political speech, except as to matters that are strictly related to the legal profession and the administration of justice. The Office of the General Counsel should be utilized by the Committee as a resource for determining whether the Committee should engage in a matter that could be perceived as taking a political position.*

The committee will be organized to divide up the responsibility for reading and reviewing proposed legislation to monitor legislation which may be of interest or consequence to either the judicial system or the Alabama State Bar.

Done this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frederick G. Helmsing, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Frederick G. Helmsing, Jr., President  
Alabama State Bar