Supreme Court of Texas

Misc. Docket No. 25-9055

Order Amending Rule 18 of the Rules Governing Admission to the Bar of Texas

ORDERED that:

- 1. The Court approves the following amendments to Rule 18 of the Rules Governing Admission to the Bar of Texas, effective immediately.
- 2. The Clerk is directed to:
 - a. file a copy of this Order with the Secretary of State;
 - b. cause a copy of this Order to be mailed to each registered member of the State Bar of Texas by publication in the *Texas Bar Journal*;
 - c. send a copy of this Order to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and each elected member of the Legislature; and
 - d. submit a copy of this Order for publication in the Texas Register.

Dated: August 29, 2025.

James D. Blacklock, Chief Justice
Delra 2. Lehrmann
Debra H. Lehrmann, Justice Jeffrey S. Boya, Justice
John P. Devine, Justice
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Brett Busby, Justice
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