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## **Rule 5**

### **Professional Responsibility Examination Requirement**

No Applicant for admission to the Texas Bar shall be issued a license to practice law in Texas until such person has furnished to the Board evidence that (s)he has passed the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination (MPRE) with a scaled score of 85.

## **Rule 6**

### **Declaration of Intention to Study Law**

#### **General Provisions**

(a) Every person who is beginning law study in an approved law school in Texas for the first time (an entrant) and who intends to apply for admission to the Bar of Texas shall, unless prohibited from filing by these Rules, file with the Board a Declaration of Intention to Study Law, on a form promulgated by the Board.

(1) The Declaration shall show:

- (A) the history, employment, experience, and educational qualifications of the Declarant;
- (B) any law school in which the Declarant is or was enrolled;
- (C) the Declarant's criminal history;
- (D) any history of significant mental illness that is related to a history of misconduct;
- (E) the Declarant's history with regard to charges of fraud in any legal proceeding;
- (F) the Declarant's involvement in any civil litigation or bankruptcy proceedings;
- (G) the Declarant's willingness to take the oath required of attorneys in Texas;
- (H) the Declarant's history as to compliance with court orders regarding child support and spousal support;
- (I) the Declarant's history regarding re-payment of