



The State Bar Court *of California*

HON. RICHARD A. HONN
PRESIDING JUDGE
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SUPERVISING HEARING JUDGE

NOTICE TO ALL PARTIES

The State Bar Court Executive Committee has approved new and amended Rules of Practice of the State Bar Court (Rules of Practice) which will become effective July 31, 2023. The Rules of Practice have been amended to include new rules to govern the voluntary use of electronic filing (“e-filing”) in the State Bar Court when the e-filing system is launched.

The changes to the rules also newly impose page limits on exhibits, declarations and attachments to pleadings filed in the Hearing Department or the Review Department. In addition, contents of an appendix to be filed with a petition pursuant to rule 5.150(C) of the Rules of Procedure will be limited to the materials required to be included.

Finally, rule 1106 is revised to add submission of unreasonable claims for compensation as potential grounds for removal of an attorney from the appointed counsel panel.

To allow parties to understand the changes before they take effect, the Rules of Practice with the new and amended rules have been made available on the State Bar Court’s website.

The Rules of Practice are adopted by the Executive Committee to facilitate proceedings conducted in the State Bar Court. (Bus. & Prof. Code, §6086.5; Rules Proc. Of State Bar, rule 1010.)