

Committee on Disciplinary Rules and Referenda

Agenda

Date and Time: Wednesday, June 5, 2024 – 10:00 a.m. CDT by Teleconference

Join by Meeting Link: <https://texasbar.zoom.us/j/85077778433>

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1. Call to Order; Roll Call
2. Comments from the Chair
3. Discussion and Possible Action: Approval of the Minutes of the Last Meeting
4. Discussion and Possible Action: Interim Report to the State Bar of Texas Board of Directors from Taskforce for Responsible AI in the Law (TRAIL)

Consider Initiation of the Rule Proposal Process and Possible Publication of Proposed Rule Amendments in the Texas Bar Journal and Texas Register; Consider Possible Amendments to and Recommendation of Comments to Proposed Rule

5. Discussion and Possible Action: Rule 1.04. Fees, Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct (TDRPC)

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6. Discussion and Possible Action: Rule 1.14. Safekeeping Property, TDRPC

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7. Discussion and Possible Action: American Bar Association Model Rule of Professional Conduct (ABA MRPC) 1.16. Declining or Terminating Representation

Consider Initiation of the Rule Proposal Process and Possible Publication of Proposed Rule Amendments in the Texas Bar Journal and Texas Register; Consider Possible Amendments to and Recommendation of Comments to Proposed Rule

8. Discussion and Possible Action: ABA MRPC 5.5. Unauthorized Practice of Law; Multijurisdictional Practice of Law

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9. Discussion and Possible Action: Rule 9.01. Severability, TDRPC

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10. Discussion and Possible Action: Changes to Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure

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11. Agenda Items for Next Meeting

12. Adjourn

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