

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
IN SUPREME COURT

IT IS ORDERED, that the Rules for Admission to the Bar of the State of Minnesota, adopted by order of this Court dated July 1, 1943, be and the same are hereby amended by adding thereto the following specified amendments which are prescribed and adopted pursuant to Minn. St. 1941, § 481.01, to become effective on the date hereof, to-wit:

(a) RULE V. GENERAL EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

The following paragraph shall be added to, and shall follow immediately after, the present paragraph of Rule V:

An applicant who is a veteran of World War II, may be granted admission by an approved law school on the basis of the pre-law credit allowed by an approved college or the University of Minnesota, and upon the satisfactory completion of his law studies shall be eligible to take the examination, subject to the following limitations:

1. That the applicant has been discharged or relieved from duty under honorable conditions from the armed services of the United States or a cobelligerent;

2. That credit for military training as such shall not exceed eight semester hours or twelve quarter hours;

3. That credit for study or intellectual growth while the applicant was in the armed forces shall be permitted if the achievements resulting from such study or intellectual growth have been evaluated by a testing program within the armed forces or by examination given by an approved college;

4. That the applicant has completed at least one academic year of study in residence, either as a civilian or in the uniform of his country, in an approved college or university;

5. That the applicant presents a total credit equal to one-half of the work acceptable for a bachelor's degree granted on the basis of a four-year period of study, either by the University of the State of Minnesota or an approved college of this State.

**(b) Rule IX. ATTORNEYS FROM OTHER STATES. HOW ADMITTED**

The following paragraph shall be inserted to follow immediately after the first paragraph of Rule IX:

The requirement for five years of active practice in such foreign jurisdiction may, in the case of applicants who have been discharged or relieved from duty under honorable conditions from the armed services of the United States or a cobelligerent in World War II, be satisfied by substituting for each year of such active practice one year of actual military service, but in no event shall credit for such military service exceed four years in the aggregate. Credit may likewise, and to the same extent, be accorded for service in the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

**(c) Rule VIII. RE-EXAMINATIONS**

Rule VIII shall be, and hereby is amended to read as follows:

An applicant who has failed to pass the examination may take a re-examination at any regular examination date within the next ensuing two years upon presenting

such additional affidavits or certificates as the Board of Law Examiners may require. He shall give the secretary of the Board notice of his desire to take such examination by making application on the forms provided by the Board for that purpose 25 days before the time for the commencement of such examination, and shall accompany the application with a fee of \$25.00. No applicant who has failed in three examinations shall be permitted to take a further examination with the exception, however, that an applicant, who has been discharged or relieved from duty under honorable conditions from the armed services of the United States or a cobelligerent in World War II, or honorably released from service with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and who was a resident of Minnesota at the time of his induction into the armed services, or at the time of his affiliation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, may, in the discretion of the Board of Law Examiners, be permitted (anything to the contrary in Rule VI notwithstanding) to take within three years from the date of his discharge from such armed services, or release from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, a fourth examination upon having first completed a refresher course satisfactory to such Board.

BY THE COURT:

CHARLES LORING

Dated: December 5, 1945

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