

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF BAR EXAMINERS (NCBE)

Request for Preparation of a Character Report

Do not use this form to remit payment; this information is for reference only.

Fees Effective July 1st, 2022

Fee Schedule

FEE CATEGORY		DESCRIPTION
I: LAW STUDENT REGISTRANT	\$275	Your request is received by the jurisdiction or NCBE less than 15 months after first enrollment in law school.
II: FIRST BAR ADMISSION (examinee)	\$395	You are applying to take a bar examination and your JD was awarded less than 1 year before your printed authorization and release (A&R) form is received by NCBE AND you have not been admitted to the practice of law in any jurisdiction at the time your printed A&R form is received.
III: ATTORNEY/BAR ADMISSION	\$550	You are currently or have ever been authorized to practice law or your printed authorization and release form is received at NCBE more than one year after your JD was awarded.
IV: FOREIGN-EDUCATED <i>OR</i> FOREIGN-LICENSED ATTORNEY	\$925	Your first law degree was not obtained in the United States, regardless of whether a subsequent U.S. law degree was conferred; OR you have ever been authorized to practice law in a foreign country.
SUPPLEMENTAL		<p>CONDITIONS</p> <p>You may be eligible for a reduced fee if NCBE has completed a character report for you in the last four years. Completion of a new application (by answering all questions again) is required.</p>
V(a): SUPPLEMENTAL	\$250	The completed report was prepared for a different jurisdiction.
V(b): SUPPLEMENTAL	\$120	The completed report was prepared for the same jurisdiction.
V(c): SUPPLEMENTAL	\$450	The completed report was prepared for a category IV foreign educated or licensed applicant.