

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

SUPREME COURT
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
FILED

FEB 14 2003

Shirley A. Johnson Long
Clerk

* * * *

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION)
OF A NEW RULE RELATING TO)
REVIEW BY SUPREME COURT OF)
BAR EXAMINERS' DECISION ON)
ADA REQUEST)

RULE 03-12

A hearing having been held on February 10, 2003, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the adoption of a new rule relating to review by Supreme Court of Bar Examiners' decision on ADA request, and the Court having considered the proposed adoption, the correspondence and oral presentations relating thereto, if any, and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that the following rule be and it is hereby adopted as follows follows:

Review by Supreme Court of Bar Examiners' decision on ADA request.

If an applicant be aggrieved by the decision of the Board of Bar Examiners as to a request made under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the secretary of the board shall transmit the applicant's file and other available information to the Supreme Court for review. The Court shall thereupon conduct such proceedings as it deems necessary to a decision as to the ADA request. The decision of the Court shall be communicated by the secretary to the applicant and shall be final. Any such request for review must be filed with the Court within ten days of the decision of the Board of Bar Examiners.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective July 1, 2003.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 14th day of February, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

David Gilbertson

David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court
(SEAL)