IN THE SUPREME COURT

OF THE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 5 OF THE REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS (APPENDIX TO SDCL 16-16)

RULE 98-13

A hearing having been held on February 20, 1998, at Pierre, South Dakota, relating to the amendment of Regulation 5 of the Regulations of the Board of Bar Examiners (Appendix to SDCL 16-16), and the Court having considered the proposed amendment, the correspondence and oral presentations relating thereto, if any, and being fully advised in the premises, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that said regulation (Appendix to SDCL 16-16) be and it is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

5. Acceptance of Multistate Bar Examination Results from Other States. In its discretion, the Board of Bar Examiners may accept an applicant's previous scores on the MBE and the MPRE administered in a jurisdiction other than South Dakota if taken within twenty-five months prior to the next scheduled examination, if the score on the MBE is a scaled score of 130 or above and the score on the MPRE is a scaled score of 75 or above, and if the applicant passed the entire bar examination in the other jurisdiction.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this rule shall become effective July 1, 1998.

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DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 10th day of March,

1998.

ATTEST:

the Supreme Court (SEAL)

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