

# FORM I

## BAR APPLICANT TESTING ACCOMMODATIONS QUESTIONNAIRE

**NOTE:** This form is part of the Application for Admission to the Alaska Bar Association. It must be complete and accurate. Return the forms with your Application for Admission.

**Deadline:** December 1 or May 1

*(Form must be typed. Attach additional sheets as necessary.)*

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Exam Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### NATURE OF YOUR DISABILITY (Check all that apply)

- |                   |                              |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Blind          | Psychological disability     |
| Visually impaired | Specific learning disability |
| Hearing impaired  | Other                        |

2. Please give a detailed narrative description of the nature and extent of your disability.

3. Describe the functional limitations related to your disability that directly affect your ability to take the examination.

4. When did you first acquire the disability (approximate date and age)? \_\_\_\_\_

5. When was the disability first diagnosed by a treating professional (date and age)? \_\_\_\_\_

By whom?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

6. What treatment is currently prescribed?

**PAST ACCOMMODATIONS GRANTED FOR DISABILITY DESCRIBED**

<p>7. Did you use disabled-student services, tutoring services, or receive special test accommodations while you were in <b>elementary school</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>8. Did you use disabled-student services, tutoring services, or receive special test accommodations while you were in <b>high school</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>9. Did you use disabled-student services, tutoring services, or receive special test accommodations while you were in <b>college</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>10. Were you granted testing accommodations in <b>law school</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>11. Were you granted testing accommodations for taking the <b>LSAT examination</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>12. Were you granted testing accommodations for taking the <b>MPRE examination</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>
<p>13. Have you previously been granted testing accommodations for any <b>other bar exam or other professional licensing exam</b>? If yes, please describe the type of accommodations received:</p>	<p>Yes    No</p> <p>Private Room Add'l Time Other</p>

If you answered “yes” to any of the above questions, please attach any records or other documentation concerning the diagnosis and the accommodations granted. Medical records or documentation of long-standing accommodations are particularly important.

14. Have you ever had a request for special accommodations denied?    Yes                  No  
If yes, explain the reasons for the denial.

## REQUESTED ACCOMMODATIONS

15. Please check below the accommodation(s) that you believe are necessary for you to take the Alaska Bar Examination.

Accommodations requested	
Rest time during exam sessions	20 pt. large print exam materials
Use of sign language interpreter	
Semi-Private Testing Area	Other

16. If requesting special equipment or personal items in the test room, (e.g., medications, special chair, special lighting), please describe:

## ADDITIONAL TEST TIME

17. If you are seeking additional test time, you must specify the amount of additional time requested for each 3-hour session.

Session	Additional Time Requested
Morning Session	
Afternoon Session	

18. Explain the justification for the amount of additional time requested.

## APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

I certify under penalty of perjury that all the information on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that this information may be reviewed by a physician or qualified professional retained by the Alaska Bar Association Board of Governors to assist in determining testing accommodations.

Any intentional false statements can be prosecuted as an unsworn falsification.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**NOTE: This accommodation request must be supported by medical documentation provided by a physician or a licensed professional in the field related to the applicant's claimed disability.**

**FORM 2 must be completed by your physician or licensed professional in the field related to the applicant's claimed disability.**