

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SUPREME COURT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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Pursuant to Part II, Article 73-a of the New Hampshire Constitution and Supreme Court Rule 51, the Supreme Court of New Hampshire adopts the following amendments to court rules.

**I. New Hampshire Lawyers Assistance Program**

1. Amend Supreme Court Rule 58.1(C)(1), regarding funding of the Lawyers Assistance Program, as set forth in Appendix A.

**II. Technical Amendment to Supreme Court Rule 37A**

2. Amend Supreme Court Rule 37A(I)(g)(8) on a temporary basis to correct a typographical error in the January 18, 2007 order that amended said rule, as set forth in Appendix B.

**Effective Date**

The amendment in Appendix A shall take effect immediately. The amendment in Appendix B shall take effect on March 1, 2007.

Date: February 15, 2007

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Eileen Fox, Clerk of Court  
Supreme Court of New Hampshire

## **APPENDIX A**

Amend Supreme Court Rule 58.1(C)(1) by deleting said subsection, which currently reads "[Reserved.]," and replacing it with the following:

(1) The court shall annually assess a sum to be paid by all dues-paying members of the New Hampshire Bar Association, except those members exempted by order of the court, to fund the LAP.

## **APPENDIX B**

Amend Supreme Court Rule 37A(I)(g)(8) on a temporary basis by deleting one word from the subsection so as to correct an error in the supreme court's January 18, 2007 order amending Rule 37A(I)(g)(8); said subsection as amended shall state as follows (deleted material is in ~~strikethrough~~ format):

(8) The attorney discipline office shall a) prepare diversion agreements setting forth the terms determined by the attorney discipline office general counsel, ~~the~~ the complaint screening committee or the professional conduct committee; b) monitor the progress of the attorney participating in the diversion program to insure compliance; and c) notify the complaint screening committee or the professional conduct committee whenever there is a voluntary or involuntary termination of the written diversion agreement or upon successful completion of the diversion program.