

Make your professional life more convenient with ISBA's automatic installment dues payment plan.

## Membership Made Easy



ILLINOIS STATE  
BAR ASSOCIATION

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**Sign up for ISBA's flexible automatic dues plan and save yourself the hassle of responding to yearly dues statements.** Using your major credit card or automatic withdrawal from your bank checking or savings, you can set up automatic monthly (for the 10th year and beyond), quarterly, semi-annual, or annual dues payments—and, forget about it.

Membership Made Easy assures that all the benefits of your membership will continue to be delivered to you without interruption—and your dues and fees are divided into easily affordable increments.

### HOW IT WORKS

Choose the installment of your choice and the Illinois State Bar Association will charge your dues to your designated credit card or checking/savings account beginning on or about July 1 of each year. We will continue to debit your account of choice until you tell us by phone or in writing to discontinue the automatic charges. Be sure to figure your periodic payment and enter your credit card or banking account information and sign the authorization on the back of this brochure.

At the beginning of each membership year, ISBA will contact you by regular mail regarding the current dues rate. You will also be able to review and make changes to the options you selected for your automatic installment payment plan.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Member Number (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

\*E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Email addresses are not made generally available, sold or published. Your email address may be used for internal business purposes and opt-out is available.*

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## DUES CHART

### PAYMENT

#### CONTINUING MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

(Credit Card or Pre-Authorized Debit Only)

- \_\_\_ Continuing Annual – July 1
- \_\_\_ Continuing Semi-Annual – July 1 and January 1
- \_\_\_ Continuing Quarterly – July 1, Oct. 1, Jan. 1 and April 1
- \_\_\_ Continuing Monthly – available to 10th year and over only

**SECTIONS FEES:** If you are a member of one or more sections (\$20/year per section), these charges will be included.

#### OPTIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

##### *Giving Back To and Supporting the Profession*

If you choose to donate to the following ISBA-related entities, your donations will be figured into the amount of your selected payment interval.

##### **Illinois Bar Foundation (IBF) - \$40/year**

The IBF is the charitable arm of the ISBA. Its mission is to provide subsistence to indigent lawyers, law student scholarships, and to: improve the administration of justice, promote legal research, publish works on legal topics, maintain libraries, and preserve historical legal documents. Contributions to IBF are tax deductible and reportable on your ARDC registration form.

##### **Illinois Lawyers Political Action Committee (LAWPAC) - \$20/year**

LAWPAC is essential to ISBA's ability to pursue its legislative goals and those of the legal profession.

Created to make contributions to candidates to the Illinois General Assembly, LAW PAC is administered by an independent, bi-partisan board of trustees. Appointments to the board are subject to approval by the ISBA Assembly.

#### HOW TO FIGURE YOUR INSTALLMENT PAYMENT

Use the DUES CHART (at right) to obtain your dues rate. If you are uncertain which category applies to you, please contact Ann at 800-252-8908.

Fill in the amount for each item:

**Dues** (see chart) ..... \_\_\_\_\_

**Sections** (\$20 per section, annually) ..... \_\_\_\_\_

##### *Voluntary Contributions:*

**Illinois Bar Foundation** (\$40 annually)..... \_\_\_\_\_

**Illinois Lawyers Political Action Committee**

(\$20 annually) ..... \_\_\_\_\_

##### **Convenience Fee**

Annual – \$4 (once)..... \_\_\_\_\_

Semi-Annual – \$6 (\$3 per transaction) ..... \_\_\_\_\_

Quarterly – \$12 (\$3 per transaction)..... \_\_\_\_\_

Monthly\* – \$24 (\$2 per transaction) ..... \_\_\_\_\_

\* Available for 10th year and over only.

**TOTAL**..... \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTALLMENT PAYMENT** ..... \_\_\_\_\_

Divide the total by 1, 2, 4, or 12 [for the payment interval you have selected] to determine the amount your account will be charged.

**ISBA membership dues are based on your year of admission to any bar.** Membership dues include the following products and services: Free online legal research through Fastcase (sponsored by ISBA and the ISBA Mutual Insurance Company); the *Illinois Bar Journal*; daily case digests and news via ISBA *E-Clips*, Web site access, lobbying (4.5%), and much more.

#### Membership Classifications and Dues Rates *Effective July 1, 2006*

Active Member	Annual
1st year after admission to the Bar in Illinois	Complimentary
2nd year after admission to any Bar	\$50.00
3rd year after admission to any Bar	67.00
4th year after admission to any Bar	90.00
5th year after admission to any Bar	112.00
6th year after admission to any Bar	138.00
7th year after admission to any Bar	162.00
8th year after admission to any Bar	185.00
9th year after admission to any Bar	203.00
10th year after admission to any Bar	223.00
11th year after admission to any Bar	250.00
12th year after admission to any Bar	262.00
13th year after admission to any Bar	267.00
14th year after admission to any Bar	279.00
15th year after admission to any Bar	288.00
16th year after admission to any Bar	297.00
17th year after admission to any Bar	300.00
18th year after admission to any Bar	302.00
19th year after admission to any Bar	306.00
20+ years after admission to any Bar	320.00
Retired Member*	50.00
Inactive Member*	55.00
Legal Assistant/Law Office Administrator	55.00
Nonresident	62.00
Law Student Member	—

\* Retired/Inactive status requires Retired/Inactive Status with ARDC.

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(Choose one)

**CREDIT CARD**

or

**BANK**

## Authorization for Continuing Membership

I hereby authorize the Illinois State Bar Association to debit the above credit card for the amount indicated at the frequency I have selected. This authorization is effective upon receipt and will continue as indicated or until such time as I notify the ISBA by telephone (800-252-8908) or in writing (ISBA, Membership Coordinator, 424 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, IL 62701) to discontinue charges to my credit card.

CREDIT CARD:

MasterCard       Visa  
 American Express       Discover

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Card Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### Return completed application to:

Illinois State Bar Association  
Membership Coordinator  
424 S. 2nd Street  
Springfield, IL 62701  
Fax: 217-525-0420

### Do not send payment with this form.

You will be automatically charged or debited.

## Authorization Agreement for Pre-Authorized Deposits

I hereby authorize the Illinois State Bar Association to initiate debit entries for membership and related fees and to initiate, if necessary, credit entries and adjustments for any debit entries made in error to the account indicated below and the depository (bank) named below to credit and/or debit the same to such account. The amount, and frequency of these debit entries shall be determined by the membership option I have selected on the other side of this form. Annual membership fees may be debited at the current renewal rate in effect at the time of renewal. This authorization is effective upon receipt and will continue as indicated or until such time as I notify the ISBA by telephone (800-252-8908) or in writing (ISBA, Membership Coordinator, 424 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, IL 62701) to discontinue debit entries to my account.

Name of Depository (Bank) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Bank Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Depository Account Type:

Checking       Savings

Bank Account Routing Number (at lower left corner of check): \_\_\_\_\_

Your Account Number (follows the routing number at bottom of check): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach voided personal check from your depository (bank) as verification for the account listed above.