

Resolution Implementing Sections 1.3 and 2.1 of the Bylaws

Adopted June 19, 1984; amended June 24, 1989; amended December 23, 1993; amended December 14, 1996; amended June 20, 1998; amended July 1, 1999; amended July 1, 2000; amended July 1, 2003; amended December 8, 2007

BE IT RESOLVED by the Assembly, pursuant to the authority given it by Sections 1.3 and 2.1 of the Bylaws of the Illinois State Bar Association that the dues of members shall be as follows:

A. Active Members

1. (a) The annual dues of active members elected under Section 1.2 of the Bylaws shall vary with the period of time which shall have elapsed since the last day of the calendar year of their admission to the bar as follows:

- During the second year,; \$50
- During the third year, \$67;
- During the fourth year, \$90;
- During fifth year, \$112;
- During the sixth year,; \$138
- During the seventh year,; \$162
- During the eighth year,; \$185
- During the ninth year,; \$203
- During the tenth year,; \$223
- During the eleventh year,; \$250
- During the twelfth year,; \$262
- During the thirteenth,; \$267
- During the fourteenth year, \$279;
- During the fifteenth year, \$288.
- During the sixteenth year, \$297
- During the seventeenth year, \$300
- During the eighteenth year, \$302
- During the nineteenth year, \$306
- Twenty plus years, \$320

1. (b) Active members elected under Section 1.3 shall be granted a complimentary membership immediately from date of admission to July 1 or January 1 following the first anniversary after their admission to the Bar of Illinois. Active members elected under Section 1.3 shall commence regular payment of dues on January 1 or July 1 next following completion of the initial complimentary membership.

2. The initial fee of members elected to active membership in July, August, September, shall be an amount equal to a full year's dues. The initial fee of members elected in any other month of the year shall be pro-rated based on the quarter year.

3. All dues shall be payable annually.

4. Dues shall be waived during the time spent in military service by members of the Illinois State Bar Association not to exceed four years.

5. At the discretion of the executive director, a dues waiver may be granted for severe financial hardship upon verified written request by the member applicant satisfactorily providing the following information:

- (a) current financial status;
- (b) current state of health;
- (c) current employment status;
- (d) date of admission to the bar;
- (e) any other relevant material information.

If granted, the term of such dues waiver shall be for no more than one year at a time. A request for dues waiver may be renewed. Section fees may not be waived or reduced. Receipt of a waiver will have no affect on the recipient's eligibility to fully participate as an ISBA member. Any member granted a dues waiver will be provided with a certificate to attend up to three ISBA-sponsored Law Ed programs free of charge.

B. Associate, Nonresident and Retired Members

1. Nonresident members' dues shall be \$62 per annum.
2. Retired members shall be \$50 per annum.

C. Law Student Members

Students enrolled in a law school, from which graduation would qualify them for admission to the Illinois bar under Supreme Court Rule, may elect to be active members of ISBA through ISBA's electronic membership program. Electronic membership for law students is offered without charge.

D. Law Office Administrators and Legal Assistants

The dues of law office administrators and legal assistants shall be \$55 per annum.