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- 1 RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges the National Conference of Bar
 2 Examiners and urges all state and territorial bar associations to collaborate with that state or

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3 territory's bar examiner to ensure that the bar examination does not result in a disparate impact
4 on bar passage rates of minority candidates.

5 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges the Law School Admission
6 Council and all state, territorial and local bar associations to collaborate with accredited law
7 schools to combat high rates of minority student attrition and to ensure that admission policies
8 do not result in a disparate impact on acceptance rates of minority applicants.

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10 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all state, territorial and local
11 bar associations to collaborate with colleges and universities to develop and support pre-law
12 programs that will increase minority applications to law schools and will increase the readiness
13 of minority applicants for law school.

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15 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the American Bar Association urges all state, territorial and local
16 bar associations to collaborate with elementary and secondary schools to develop and support
17 programs that will increase minority applications to college and will increase the readiness of
18 minority applicants for college.