

Character & Fitness Application

Most State Bars require that a certified copy of the Michigan Affidavit of Personal History be submitted as part of their application process for membership/exam.

Please note, if you did not take the Michigan bar exam, there will not be an Affidavit of Personal History on file.

To obtain a certified copy of the Affidavit of Personal History (APH) that you filed to take the Michigan bar exam, you must submit a written request and a \$25.00 fee. The certified copy will only include the information received with your original application. Additional information that may be in your file will not be released unless specifically identified and requested by the attorney (or applicant).

To order a copy of your Affidavit of Personal History, please e-mail the following information to: CFRecords@michbar.org

1. Name and P number,
2. If different than current name, your last name when you sat for the Michigan bar exam,
3. Exam Date,
4. Date of Birth,
5. E-mail address where the certified copy should be sent.

Once the availability of your record has been confirmed, you will receive a link to the payment form. Most orders are filled within 10 business days from receipt of payment. Certified copies are transmitted via e-mail only.