

State Bar of Texas Workgroup on Artificial Intelligence
Fiscal Impact Analysis
June 21, 2023

MISSION

The mission of the State Bar of Workgroup on Artificial Intelligence is to study the use of artificial intelligence in the legal profession, including ethical considerations, and make recommendations, if any, to the board of directors consistent with Tex. Govt. Section 81.012:

Sec. 81.012. PURPOSES. In order that the public responsibilities of the legal profession may be more effectively discharged, the state bar has the following purposes:

- (1) to aid the courts in carrying on and improving the administration of justice;
- (2) to advance the quality of legal services to the public and to foster the role of the legal profession in serving the public;
- (3) to foster and maintain on the part of those engaged in the practice of law high ideals and integrity, learning, competence in public service, and high standards of conduct;
- (4) to provide proper professional services to the members of the state bar;
- (5) to encourage the formation of and activities of local bar associations;
- (6) to provide forums for the discussion of subjects pertaining to the practice of law, the science of jurisprudence and law reform, and the relationship of the state bar to the public; and
- (7) to publish information relating to the subjects listed in Subdivision (6).

MEMBERS

- See attached roster

CONSIDERATIONS

1. The workgroup is anticipated to consist of members from across the state.
2. Meetings of the workgroup are anticipated to be conducted by Zoom or similar video conferencing, with the possible exception of one in-person organizational meeting.
3. The workgroup will be effective immediately upon board approval and expire at the conclusion of the 2023-2024 bar year.

FISCAL IMPACT FY2023-24

The fiscal impact of this workgroup is estimated to be \$5,000.00. The creation of this workgroup is not anticipated to have significant fiscal implications to the State Bar's FY 2023-24 general fund budget.

2023-2024 AI Workgroup

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