

**Public Policy Position
SB 1007 and SB 1008**

The Elder Law & Disability Rights Section is a voluntary membership section of the State Bar of Michigan, comprised of 1,037 members. The Elder Law & Disability Rights Section is not the State Bar of Michigan and the position expressed herein is that of the Elder Law & Disability Rights Section only and not the State Bar of Michigan. To date, the State Bar does not have a position on this item.

The Elder Law & Disability Rights Section has a public policy decision-making body with 20 members. On June 5, 2026, the Section adopted its position after a discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. 16 members voted in favor of the Section's position, 0 members voted against this position, 0 members abstained, 4 members did not vote.

Support

Explanation:

The Bills would require the Courts to evaluate the least restrictive means of protection for individuals with developmental disabilities.

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