

## Awards Policy September 26, 2016

1. No standing or special committee has authority to bestow an award or significant honor. Any award or significant honor recommended by a standing or special committee to be bestowed must be approved by the Board of Commissioners or Representative Assembly, as appropriate.

Board of Commissioners — June 10, 2016

2. Members, advisors, or liaisons to a State Bar committee are not eligible for awards recommended or presented by that committee even if the person is excused from discussing or voting on the award. An exception to this rule may be made in extraordinary circumstances upon written approval of the State Bar President, in response to a written request from the committee, stating reasons sufficient in the determination of the President to justify an exception.

Board of Commissioners — July 25, 2008