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House Bill 1648

By: Representative Jackson of the 124th, Post 1

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Article 2 of Chapter 19 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
- 2 relating to the State Bar of Georgia, so as to repeal provisions relating to the option of a jury
- 3 trial prior to a final order or disbarment; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting
- 4 laws; and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 Article 2 of Chapter 19 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
- 8 State Bar of Georgia, is amended by repealing Code Section 15-19-32, relating to the option
- 9 of a jury trial prior to a final order or disbarment, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- 10 "15-19-32.
- The rules and regulations governing the unified state bar shall provide that before a final
- order of any nature or any judgment of disbarment is entered the attorney involved may
- 13 elect to have any material issues of fact determined by a jury in the superior court of the
- 14 county of his residence. Reserved."

15 SECTION 2.

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.