Rule Change #2000(9)

COLORADO RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE CHAPTER 18. RULES GOVERNING ADMISSION TO THE BAR RULE 201

Rule 201.2. Board of Law Examiners

- (1)-(4) [***NO CHANGE]
- (5) Persons performing official duties under the provisions of this rule, including members of the Law Committee, members of the Bar Committee, the executive director and staff and members of the Bar working under the direction of the Board, shall be immune from personal liability for all conduct in the course of their official duties. All information provided to the Bar Committee concerning the mental stability or ethical or moral qualifications of an applicant shall be absolutely privileged and no lawsuit may be predicated thereon. The Board of Law Examiners, and its members, employees and agents are immune from all civil liability for damages for conduct and communications occurring in the performance of and within the scope of their official duties relating to the examination, character and fitness qualification, and licensing of persons seeking to be admitted to the practice of law. Records, statements of opinion and other information regarding an applicant for admission to the bar communicated by any entity, including any person, firm or institution, without malice, to the Board of Law Examiners, or to its members, employees or agents, are privileged, and civil suits for damages predicated thereon may not be instituted.

Amended and Adopted by the Court, <u>En Banc</u>, April 6, 2000, effective July 1, 2000.

BY THE COURT:

Nancy E. Rice Justice, Colorado Supreme Court