

Lawyer Discipline

2006 REPORT CARD

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STATE

	State Rank	Adequacy of Discipline Imposed 35%	Publicity and Responsiveness 15%	Openness of the Process 15%	Fairness of Disciplinary Procedures 15%	Public Participation 15%	Promptness 5%	Overall Grade 100%	Comparison to 2002 Standing
CONNECTICUT	1	C-	C+	B	C+	C	B	B-	↑
COLORADO	2	D-	B+	B+	B+	C	C	B-	↑
ARIZONA	3	D-	B+	A	B+	C	D+	B-	↑
TENNESSEE	4	D	B+	B+	A	F	C	C+	↑
PENNSYLVANIA	5	D+	B-	B+	B-	D	D+	C+	↑
VERMONT	6	D+	D+	B+	B	C	*	C+	↑
NEW JERSEY	7	D-	C+	B	B+	C	*	C+	↑
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	8	D+	C+	B	C	C	*	C+	↑
GEORGIA	9	D	C+	B-	B-	C	C+	C+	↑
MISSISSIPPI	10	C	D+	C-	B+	F	A	C+	↑
NEW MEXICO	11	D+	D+	C+	B-	D	A	C+	↑
MAINE	12	C	C	B-	B	C	C+	C+	↔
KENTUCKY	13	D	C+	C+	C+	C	F	C+	↑
FLORIDA	14	D+	C+	C+	B+	C	B	C+	↓
WYOMING	15	D+	D	D+	B+	D	B+	C	↑
WISCONSIN	16	C	D+	B+	B-	C	*	C	↓
MASSACHUSETTS	17	C	C+	B-	A-	D	F	C	↓
RHODE ISLAND	18	D+	C+	B-	C	C	C+	C	↓
OREGON	19	D-	B+	B+	B+	D	D	C	↓
NORTH DAKOTA	20	D	D+	B+	B-	C	A	C	↓
ILLINOIS	21	D+	C+	B-	B-	C	*	C	↓
WEST VIRGINIA	22	C	D+	C+	C	C	D+	C	↔
WASHINGTON	(tie) 23	D-	C+	B+	B	C	*	C	↑
NEW HAMPSHIRE	(tie) 23	C	D	B+	C	C	*	C	↑
MICHIGAN	25	D-	C+	B+	B	C	*	C	↔
MINNESOTA	26	D	C	B	B	C	*	C-	↓
KANSAS	27	D-	B	B	B+	F	D+	C-	↓
MISSOURI	28	D	C+	C+	B	C	*	C-	↔
INDIANA	29	D	C+	B+	B-	D	*	C-	↔
NEBRASKA	30	D+	D+	C+	C	C	B	C-	↔
NEVADA	31	C	D+	*	C	C	A	C-	↑
MARYLAND	32	D+	C	C+	D+	C	D+	C-	↓
VIRGINIA	33	D	C+	B-	C-	C	*	C-	↑
LOUISIANA	34	D+	C	C+	D+	C	F	C-	↓
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	C	D+	C	D	D	C+	C-	↓
NEW YORK	36	D	C+	D+	B	D	C	D+	↔
IDAHO	37	D	D+	C	D+	A	*	D+	↑
OHIO	(tie) 38	F	C	B-	B+	D	C	D+	↔
TEXAS	(tie) 38	D	C+	B	D	C	F	D+	↓
OKLAHOMA	40	F	D+	B	B-	D	B	D+	↓
DELAWARE	41	D	C+	C	D-	C	B	D+	↓
IOWA	42	C	D+	C	D	D	D+	D+	↓
ALASKA	43	F	C+	B+	D	C	*	D+	↓
SOUTH CAROLINA	44	D+	D-	C+	B+	F	*	D+	↔
CALIFORNIA	45	D-	C	B-	B-	F	D+	D+	↓
ARKANSAS	46	D+	D+	B-	D	D	*	D+	↓
ALABAMA	47	D	C+	C	D+	D	C	D+	↓
HAWAII	48	D	D+	C+	B-	F	*	D+	↓
MONTANA	49	D+	D+	*	D	C	C+	D+	↔
NORTH CAROLINA	50	*	D+	B-	C-	C	*	D	↔
UTAH	51	D	*	*	D	D	F	F	↓

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