

Mac Book Pro with Touch Bar is prohibited from the Colorado Bar Exam (Click here for more details)

Attention Laptop Computer Test Takers for the February 2017 Colorado Bar Examination

Mac Book Pro with Touch Bar **will be prohibited** from use during the February 2017 Colorado bar exam. It has just recently come to our attention that the **Mac Book Pro with Touch Bar** is not compatible with the security features of the ExamSoft software (SofTest™) which is required for use during the bar exam. If you were planning to use this particular model and have already installed the software on your device, you must contact this office and request a second download to a compatible laptop model.

To request a second download, please:

- 1) Send a message through your application messaging center titled: Request for Second Download;
- 2) Explain the reason for your request;
- 3) Identify the make, model and serial number of both the prohibited device, as well as the device you will use instead. All second downloads must be authorized through the Office of Attorney Admissions. All second downloads and must be requested before the Laptop Registration period closes on February 7, 2017.*

Please note: If you fail to ensure that the required software is installed on a compatible device, you will hand write the exam.

Please be aware that these computers are absolutely prohibited from use during the exam. Therefore, any attempt to use such a device once you have entered the test room will be deemed an attempt to cheat. The device will be confiscated, your exam scores may be nullified and the matter will be reported to the Character and Fitness Committee for further evaluation of your moral and ethical qualifications for a license to practice law in Colorado. Any confiscated device will not be returned to you until Wednesday evening following the end of the entire two-day exam. In the event you are found to be using this prohibited model during the exam session, the device may be confiscated for an indefinite period and sent to the National Conference of Bar Examiners for further inspection. The Office of Attorney Admissions will not be held responsible for the loss or damage of any such confiscated device.

*A second download may be authorized after the registration period closes in the event of a major hardware malfunction.

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