

**GENERAL STATISTICS REPORT
JULY 2009 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION¹
OVERALL STATISTICS**

	First-Timers				Repeaters				All Takers		
Applicant Group	Took	Pass	%Pass		Took	Pass	%Pass		Took	Pass	%Pass
General Bar Examination	6152	4334	70.4		2515	556	22.1		8667	4890	56.4
Attorneys' Examination	200	78	39.0		129	29	22.5		329	107	32.5
Total	6352	4412	69.5		2644	585	22.1		8996	4997	55.5

GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS

	First-Timers				Repeaters				All Takers		
Law School Type	Took	Pass	%Pass		Took	Pass	%Pass		Took	Pass	%Pass
CA ABA Approved	3723	2953	79.3		850	265	31.2		4573	3218	70.4
Out-of-State ABA	1486	1031	69.4		410	110	26.8		1896	1141	60.2
CA Accredited	360	116	32.2		469	59	12.6		829	175	21.1
CA Unaccredited	117	31	26.5		287	33	11.5		404	64	15.8
Law Office/Judges' Chambers	1	0	0.0		3	0	0.0		4	0	0.0
US Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam ²	290	169	58.3		166	54	32.5		456	223	48.9
Foreign-Educated Law Students + One Year of US ABA-Approved or CA-Accredited Law School	20	3	15.0		26	2	7.7		46	5	10.9
Foreign Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam ³	141	29	20.6		219	27	12.3		360	56	15.6
4-Year Qualification ⁴	7	1	14.3		10	0	0.0		17	1	5.9
Schools No Longer in Operation	7	1	14.3		75	6	8.0		82	7	8.5
Total	6152	4334	70.4		2515	556	22.1		8667	4890	56.4

¹ These statistics were compiled using data available as of the date results from the examination were released.

² Attorneys admitted in other jurisdictions less than four years must take and those admitted four or more years may elect to take the General Bar Examination.

³ Attorneys admitted in foreign jurisdictions must take the General Bar Examination.

⁴ Applicants may qualify to take the General Bar Examination through a combination of four years of law study without graduating from a law school.