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Pursuant to Articles 22, 24 and 307 of the Statute of the Bar Association of Serbia (*Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia* Nos. 85/11 and 78/13), the Assembly of the Bar Association of Serbia, at its second regular meeting held on 11 May 2013, unanimously adopted the following

DECISION

Amending the Statute of the Bar Association of Serbia

The provisions of the Statute of the Bar Association of Serbia (*Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia* Nos. 85/11 and 78/12), which was adopted at the Assembly sessions of 29 October 2011, 12 November 2011 and 24 June 2012, shall be amended as follows:

I.

Article 33, Paragraph 1, Item 35, of the Statute of the Bar Association of Serbia (*Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia* Nos. 85/11 and 78/12 – hereinafter: “the Statute”) shall be amended to read as follows: “appoint and dismiss lecturers and mentors of the Attorney Academy of the Bar Association of Serbia, upon obtaining the opinion of the Curriculum Council of the Attorney Academy;”.

II.

Article 41, Paragraph 2, of the Statute shall be amended to read as follows: “The Disciplinary Prosecutor shall have 16 deputies, so that two deputies shall be from each bar association within the Bar Association of Serbia; the deputies shall have the same rights and duties in disciplinary proceedings as the Disciplinary Prosecutor, and they shall be obliged to act in accordance with the Disciplinary Prosecutor’s binding instructions”.

III.

Article 282, Paragraph 1, Item 8, of the Statute shall be amended to read as follows: “8) provide opinion on appointment and dismissal of lecturers and mentors;”.

Article 282, Paragraph 1, Item 9, of the Statute shall be amended to read as follows: “9) propose decisions to be made regarding the remuneration for the work at the Academy;”.

After Paragraph 3 of Article 282 of the Statute, a new Paragraph 4 shall be added to read as follows: “A mentor and/or lecturer appointed at the Attorney Academy or an academy established in accordance with Paragraphs 2 and 3 of this Article, shall have that status at each academy within the Bar Association of Serbia without additional or special appointment.”

IV.

Article 285, Paragraph 4, Item 3, of the Statute shall be amended to read as follows: “issue a general or individual invitation for the registration of candidates for the position of lecturers and mentors;”.

After Item 3 of Paragraph 4 in Article 285 of the Statute, five new items shall be added to read as follows:

- “4. provide opinion on appointment and dismissal of lecturers and mentors;
5. appoint and dismiss members of the commission for professional specialisation of attorneys-at-law;
6. appoint and dismiss heads of departments and their deputies;
7. in cooperation with the Dean, ensure the implementation of the curriculum and work plan of the Academy;
8. authorise its member to act on behalf of the Dean, should the Dean be unable to personally designate his/her deputy;”.

The Items hitherto marked as 4, 5 and 6 shall become Items 9, 10 and 11.

V.

The remaining text of the Statute of the Bar Association of Serbia No. 1935/2011, including the amendments and supplements thereto (*Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia* Nos. 85/11 and 74/12), shall stay unaltered.

This Decision shall enter into force on the eighth day of its publication in the *Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia*.

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of the Bar Association of Serbia
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