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## American Board of Certification New General Exam Instructions Effective August 2008

**Our exam procedures have recently changed, and the change is most welcome by most examinees. Examinees can now bring unannotated copies of three resources into the entire exam, the Bankruptcy Code, the Uniform Commercial Code, and if they bring their own, a copy of their own state's ethical rules.**

**This is a big departure from the past, when examinees could use a Bankruptcy Code only, and even then, only for a small portion of the exam. This change has been implemented in recognition that attorneys regularly have access to these resources in their practice. Thus, the test will more accurately predict the ability to successfully practice of law.**

**Sample questions on each portion of the various exams follow. These questions are offered to familiarize you with the exam format, show you the likely scope of test questions, and give you an idea of the types of subjects covered. Unless otherwise noted, the questions below reflect current law.**

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