## Resolution 7

## LOUISIANA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Louisiana State Bar Association is committed to serving the public and its members and pursuing justice for all; and

WHERAS, the Louisiana State Bar Association as an organization embraces competition and is committed to the use of technology and innovation to identify more efficient and effective ways of delivering legal services and promoting access to justice;

WHEREAS, permitting non-lawyers to engage in the practice of law exposes the public to fraud and undermines the rule of law and administration of justice; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Louisiana State Bar Association opposes any legislation and government rules or regulations which have the purpose or effect of permitting non-lawyers to engage in the practice of law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Louisiana State Bar Association should promote and support legislation to provide remedies and access to a Louisiana forum for Louisiana consumers who are harmed by non-lawyers who sell, license, or market legal services and products, including, software, on-line solutions, and legal forms.

Respectfully Submitted

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