- (b) A candidate removing from a jurisdiction having similar standards for registration may have the registration transferred. The State Board of Law Examiners shall examine the applicant touching his or her qualifications for admission to the Bar. No one shall be examined who shall not have studied law in a law school in the United States, or any other law school which may be recognized by the State Board of Law Examiners; for in the office of a member of the Bar of this State for at least three years; no one shall be examined who shall not have been registered as aforesaid as a law student before beginning said period of study. with the exception that any applicant who shall have pursued the study of law in a school outside the State of Maryland for the requisite period may take the Bar Examination without registration provided the entrance requirements of said school shall be approved by the State Department of Education.
- (c) The said Board shall report their proceedings in the examination of applicants to the Court of Appeals, with any recommendations said Board shall desire to make. If the Court of Appeals shall then find the applicant to be qualified under the provisions of this section and also [if registered on or after June 1st, 1940] under the provisions of Section 4 to discharge the duties of [any] an attorney, and to be of good moral character, [and] worthy to be admitted, and not a subversive person as defined by the Subversive Activities Act of 1949, they shall pass an order admitting him or her to practice in all the Courts of the State.
- (d) The Court of Appeals shall prescribe rules for a uniform system of bar examinations in this State, [both] for registration as aforesaid, for character examination of each applicant, [and] for admission to the Bar; and for the fees to be paid by the applicant [upon taking the examinations aforesaid]; and for the compensation of the members of the Board, who shall be paid out of said fees; and generally such other rules as may be necessary or convenient to carry out the provisions of this section. Fevery applicant upon presenting himself or herself for examination before the Board of Law Examiners, shall pay to the treasurer of the Board such fee, not exceeding twenty-five dollars, as may be fixed by the Court of Appeals. On payment of one examination fee the applicant shall be entitled to the privilege of three examinations, but no more.

The State Board of Law Examiners shall render an annual account of their expenses to the Court of Appeals.

Any [fradulent] fraudulent act or representation by any applicant in connection with his or her application, registration or examination shall be sufficient cause for the revocation of the order admitting him or her to practice.

Sec. 4. From and after June 1st, [1940] 1957, no person shall begin the study of the law under the provisions of Sections 3 and 4 unless and until, in addition to the requisites for the study of law as provided in Section 3 of [the] this Article, he or she submits proof satisfactory to the State Board of Law Examiners that he or she has successfully completed [one year of college work or its equivalent, nor from and after June 1st, 1941, unless he or she shall submit proof satisfactory to the State Board of Law Examiners that in addition to the requisites of Section 3, he or she has successfully completed two] three TWO years of college work or its equivalent.