

RULE CHANGE 2021(25)

**RULES GOVERNING LAWYER DISCIPLINE AND DISABILITY PROCEEDINGS,
PROTECTIVE APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL, CONTINUING LEGAL AND
JUDICIAL EDUCATION, ATTORNEYS' FUND FOR CLIENT PROTECTION,
AND LAWYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

Rule 255. Colorado Attorney Mentoring Program

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Within 21 days after the receipt of each fee in accordance with the fee schedule above, receipt thereof shall be acknowledged on a form prescribed by the CAMP Director.

(c) Delinquency. Any attorney accepted into the Legal Entrepreneurs for Justice program who fails to timely pay the fee required under subparagraph (b) above shall be removed from the program at the discretion of the CAMP Director, provided a notice of delinquency has been issued by the CAMP Director and mailed by certified mail to the attorney addressed to the attorney's last known mailing address at least 28 days prior to such removal, unless an excuse has been granted on grounds of financial hardship. The CAMP Director may institute civil action to collect unpaid balances and all costs associated with the collection of unpaid balances, including without limitation, the costs of a debt collector, costs of court, and attorney's fees, will be the responsibility of the attorney.

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Amended and Adopted by the Court, En Banc, December 16, 2021, effective immediately.

By the Court:

Monica M. Márquez
Justice, Colorado Supreme Court