

COUNCIL OF LEGAL EDUCATION RELEASE OF THE BAR EXAMINATION RESULTS APRIL 2025

The Council of Legal Education (CLE) administered the Advocates Training Examination (Bar Examination) between **10**th **April 2025 to 24**th **April 2025**.

A total of 1,675 candidates sat for examinations, 270 and 1405 candidates sat as regular and resit candidates, respectively. In this examination series, Candidates recorded high scores in Trial Advocacy (ATP 104), Conveyancing (ATP 107), and Civil Litigation (ATP 100), with a pass rate of 93.88%, 73.08 and 69.44% respectively. In comparison with the April 2024 examination, significant improvement has been noted in ATP 107 Conveyancing and ATP 108 Commercial Transaction.

ATP 105 - Professional Ethics and ATP -103 Legal Writing and Drafting declined in performance in this examination series, with the units recording a pass rate of 23.84% and 39.90% respectively.

Overall, the April 2025 examinations reflect a marked improvement in performance compared to those conducted in April 2024.

Tables A and B illustrate the performance of the April 2025 examinations for each unit, in comparison to the April 2024 examination series for regular and re-sit candidates.

TABLE A: Regular Candidates

ATP	April 2025		April 2024	
	No. of candidates	% Pass	No. of candidates	% Pass
100	102	88.24	135	74.07
101	93	58.06	135	77.78
102	73	90.41	129	77.52
103	99	58.59	120	49.17
104	84	97.62	110	92.73
105	82	59.76	120	79.17
106	106	86.79	143	69.93
107	131	81.68	157	37.58
108	118	84.75	162	41.36





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TABLE B: RESIT CANDIDATES

ATP	April 2025		April 2024	
	No. of candidates	% Pass	No. of candidates	% Pass
100	186	59.14	237	44.3
101	105	8.57	93	26.88
102	89	47.19	153	30.07
103	505	36.24	313	24.92
104	14	71.43	26	46.15
105	476	17.65	164	54.27
106	219	50.68	57	24.56
107	482	70.75	880	17.16
108	311	45.98	596	13.93

CLE has been undertaking various reforms towards the administration of the Bar Examination, including its administration, setting of the examination, marking, and release of the examination results. Notably, in this series, CLE facilitated eight (8) candidates with special needs. This included providing braille, computer software, and a typist. Their performance was indeed commendable.

In undertaking this process, CLE is guided by its vision to ensure that we have "Innovative Legal Professionals Transforming Society" through transformative legal education and training in Kenya.

CLE is extremely grateful for the support from the **Office of the Attorney General** and the shared vision of transforming legal education and training in Kenya.

In conclusion, CLE is pleased to announce that the Report of the Working Group on Legal Education Sector Reform was submitted to the **Honourable Attorney General, Mrs. Dorcas A. Oduor SC, OGW, EBS**. This report will assist in policy decisions that will shape the future of legal education and training in Kenya.

Therefore, with sincere acknowledgment of the efforts of each candidate, CLE hereby **OFFICIALLY RELEASES** the April 2025 Advocates Training Programme Examination and congratulates all the candidates.

Results are now available on the candidate's portal.

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