

Roger Williams University School of Law

*Office of Dean
and Vice President*

Memorandum

To: Law School Community

From: John E. Ryals
Dean and Vice President

Date: February 15, 1995

I am pleased to announce that the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association on February 14, 1995, added the Roger Williams University School of Law to its list of approved law schools. The House acted favorably on a unanimous recommendation of both the Accreditation Committee and the Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar. This item was included on the Consent Calendar so no votes nor debate were recorded.

As a result of the action by the House, graduates of the Roger Williams University School of Law are eligible to sit for the bar examination in all fifty states, plus the District of Columbia. The School of Law has become the 178th law school approved by the American Bar Association.

I would like to extend my deep-seated appreciation to the President and the Board of Trustees of the University for their unqualified support of the law school. In addition, the faculty, staff, and students are to be congratulated for their efforts in achieving provisional approval at the earliest possible time.