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Board of Trustees
Unitarian Universalist Association
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Re: Desirability of an Attorney Member on Board of Review

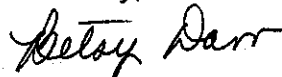
Dear Fellow UUs:

At our meeting on October 25, 2008, the UUA Board of Review considered the desirability of having at least one attorney or law school graduate on the Board. We feel that it is highly desirable to have an attorney as a member. Our attorney members have been very helpful in the recent past in our considerations of rules and procedures—our own and the MFC's and the RECC's.

We are not sure that it should be made part of the by-laws governing the membership of the Board of Review. However, we believe it should rise above "lore" that must be transmitted by verbally to each generation of the Nominating Committee. We request that you or the Nominating Committee consider where this desirable qualification might be written, such as in some policy manual or a by-law.

Thank you for consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,



Betsy Darr
UUA Board of Review