

ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc Docket No. 96- 9215

Appointment of a District Judge to Preside
in a State Bar Disciplinary Action

The Supreme Court of Texas hereby appoints the Honorable Tommy W. Wallace, Judge of the 294th District Court of Van Zandt County, Texas, to preside in the Disciplinary Action styled:

The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Matthews

filed as No. 96-021582 in the 281st District Court of Harris County, Texas.

The Clerk of the Supreme Court shall promptly forward to the District Clerk of Harris County, Texas, a copy of this Order for filing and service pursuant to Rule 3.03, Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure.

As ordered by the Supreme Court of Texas, in chambers,


with the Seal thereof affixed at the City
of Austin, this 18th day of September, 1996.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Adams', written over the printed name of the signatory.

JOHN T. ADAMS, CLERK
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

This assignment, made by Misc. Docket No. 96-9215, is also an assignment by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.057.

Signed this 20 day of September, 1996.


Thomas R. Phillips
Chief Justice



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Honorable Tommy W. Wallace
Judge, 294th District Court
301 County Courthouse
121 E. Dallas Street
Canton, Texas 75103

Dear Judge Wallace:

We enclose for your information a copy of the order of assignment, a copy of the notification letter to Mr. Matthews and Mr. McCormack, and a copy of the letter to the District Clerk of Harris County.

It is recommended that, after receipt of this letter, your coordinator contact the parties for a scheduling conference. At some point thereafter, your coordinator should contact the Harris County District Court Administrative Office (713-755-6576) to reserve a courtroom, provide for a court reporter, etc. Finally, you should contact the Presiding Judge of the Administrative Judicial Region into which you have been assigned [409-538-8176] to obtain information on lodging, allowable expenses, and claims forms for your expenses incident to presiding over this disciplinary case.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

John T. Adams
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Dear Mr. Young and Mr. Matthews:

Pursuant to Rule 3.02 of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure, I hereby notify you that the Supreme Court of Texas has appointed the Honorable Tommy W. Wallace, Judge of the 294th District Court, Canton, Texas to preside in

Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Matthews

Sincerely,

SIGNED

John T. Adams
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The Honorable Charles Bacarisse
District Clerk of Harris County
P.O. Box 4651
Houston, Texas 77210

Dear Mr. Bacarisse:

Pursuant to Rule 3.03 of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure, I am sending for filing State Bar of Texas Disciplinary Action styled: Docket No. 96-021582 The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Matthews, in the 281th District Court, a copy of the Supreme Court's order appointing the Honorable Tommy W. Wallace, Judge of the 294th District Court, Canton, Texas, to preside in this Disciplinary Action.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

John T. Adams
Clerk

cc: Hon. Tommy W. Wallace
Mr. William D. Matthews
Mr. Steve Young