

SCAC MEETING AGENDA - REVISED

October 21 - 22, 2011

9:00 a.m.

**Location: Texas Association of Broadcasters
502 E. 11th Street, Suite 200
Austin, Texas 78701
512-322-9944**

1. **WELCOME (Babcock)**

2. **STATUS REPORT FROM JUSTICE HECHT**

Justice Hecht will report on Supreme Court actions and those of other courts related to the Supreme Court Advisory Committee since the September 2011 meeting. Justice Hecht may refer new issues for the committee's study.

3. **PARENTAL RIGHTS TERMINATION CASES – HB 906 (ORSINGER)**

* Task Force for Post-Trial Rules in Cases Involving Termination of the Parental Relationship member Justice Debra Lehrmann will attend the meeting and participate in the discussion regarding parental rights termination cases.

- a) Referral letter from Justice Hecht dated 7/13/11
- b) HB 906
- c) Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code §13.003
- d) Final Report of the Task Force for Post-Trial Rules in Cases Involving Termination of the Parental Relationship (Submitted to the Texas Supreme Court on October 14, 2011)

4. **CASES REQUIRING ADDITIONAL RESOURCES – HB 79 (BABCOCK)**

* Task Force member Richard “Dickie” Hile will attend the meeting and participate in the discussion.

- a) Referral letter from Justice Hecht dated 7/13/11
- b) HB 79
- c) Final Report and Proposed Rules of the Task Force on Additional Resources for Complex Cases

5. **SECURITY DETAILS – SB 1 (DORSANEO)**

- a) Referral letter from Justice Hecht dated 7/13/11
- b) SB 1
- c) Memorandum from Professor Dorsaneo dated 10/12/11 (with attachments)
- d) Proposed Rule 52A

6. **CONSTITUTIONAL CHALLENGES TO STATUTES – HB 2425 (PATTERSON)**

- a) Referral letter from Justice Hecht dated 7/13/11
- b) HB 2425
- c) Texas Government Code §402.010
- d) 04/09/10 Proposed Rule Requiring Notice to Texas Attorney General When the Constitutionality of a Statute, Ordinance, or Franchise is Challenged in Litigation