

ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc Docket No. 98- 9048

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

The Supreme Court of Texas hereby appoints the Honorable Richard Johnson, Judge of the 303rd District Court of Dallas County, Texas, to preside in the Disciplinary Action styled:

The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Bruce A. Coane

heretofore filed as No. 97-39094 in the 80th 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 pursuant to Rule 3.03, Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure.

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

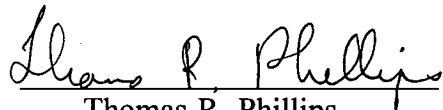
with the Seal thereof affixed at the City
of Austin, this 9th day of March, 1998.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Adams", written over a circular stamp or seal.

JOHN T. ADAMS, CLERK
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

This assignment, made by Misc. Docket No. 98-9048, is also an assignment by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.057.

Signed this 10 day of March, 1998.


Thomas R. Phillips
Chief Justice



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March 10, 1998

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. 97-39094, The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Bruce A. Coane, in the 80th District Court, a copy of the Supreme Court's order appointing the Honorable Richard Johnson, Judge of the 303rd District Court, Dallas, Texas, to preside in this Disciplinary Action.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

John T. Adams
Clerk

cc: Hon. Richard Johnson
Mr. Bruce A. Coane
Ms. Mary F. Klapperich



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Dear Ms. Klapperich and Mr. Coane:

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 Richard Johnson, Judge of the 303rd District Court, Dallas, Texas to preside in

Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Bruce A. Coane

Sincerely,

SIGNED

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Honorable Richard Johnson
Judge, 303rd District Court
George L. Allen, Sr. Courts Building
600 Commerce
Dallas, Texas 75202

Dear Judge Johnson:

We enclose for your information a copy of the order of assignment, a copy of the notification letter to Mr. Coane and Ms. Klapperich, 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
Clerk