

Before the Presiding Judges of the Administrative Judicial Regions

Per Curiam Rule 12 Decision

APPEAL NO.: 07-004

RESPONDENT: Seana Willing, Executive Director, Texas State Commission on Judicial Conduct

DATE: July 13, 2007

SPECIAL COMMITTEE: Judge B. B. Schraub, Chairman; Judge David Peeples; Judge Olen Underwood; Judge Dean Rucker; Judge Stephen Ables

Applicant requested all of the contents of the files of the Commission on Judicial Conduct related to a complaint he filed against a district judge. The Commission has not taken any public disciplinary action concerning the judge who was the subject of the complaint. We find that the records in the Commission's investigative file are not judicial records for purposes of Rule 12, because they relate to the Commission's adjudicative function. Rule 12.2(d). We also find that the records are confidential. Rule 12.5(i). *See* Rule 12 Committee Decisions 01-002, 01-005, 03-008, 04-004, and 06-004. Accordingly, we deny the appeal.