

# IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 99- 9246

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## ORDER APPROVING TARRANT COUNTY LOCAL RULE FOR ASSIGNMENT OF PARENTAL NOTIFICATION APPLICATIONS

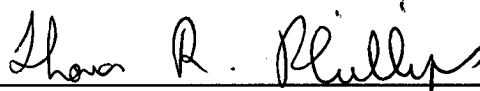
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**ORDERED** that:

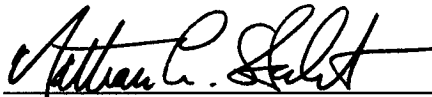
1. Pursuant to Rule 3a of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, the District Courts in Tarrant County, Texas may adopt a local rule directing the District Clerk to docket all applications by minors to consent to abortions without parental notification in the 342nd District Court.

2. In view of the urgency that procedures be adopted for handling applications under Chapter 33, Family Code, the requirement of Rule 3a(4) is suspended, and the local rule may take effect immediately.

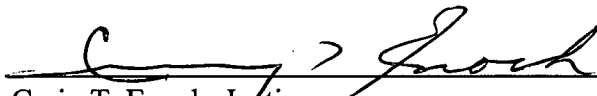
SIGNED AND ENTERED this 29th day of December, 1999.



Thomas R. Phillips, Chief Justice



Nathan L. Hecht, Justice



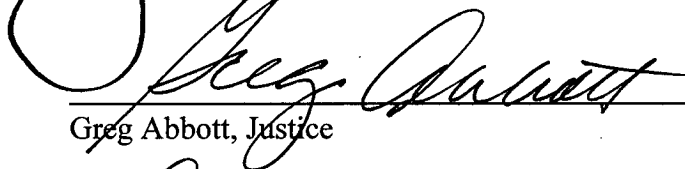
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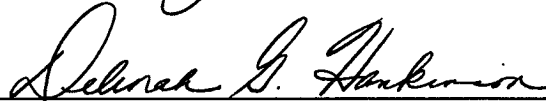
Priscilla R. Owen, Justice



James A. Baker, Justice



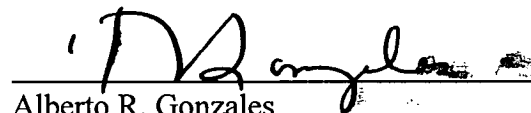
Greg Abbott, Justice



Deborah G. Hankinson, Justice



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January 7, 2000

Hon. Everett Young.  
Admin. Judge and Judge  
297th District Court  
401 W. Belknap  
Fort Worth, Texas 76196-0229

Dear Judge Young,

Please find enclosed, a copy of the order of the Supreme Court that approved local rules for the district courts of Tarrant County.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

John T. Adams  
Clerk

Encl.

cc: Hon. Jeff Walker  
8th Admin Judicial Rgn

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County Clerk

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