

**ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS**

**Misc Docket No. 96- 9179**

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

The Supreme Court of Texas hereby appoints the Honorable J. Ray Gayle, III, Judge of the 239th District Court of Brazoria County, Texas, to preside in the Disciplinary Action styled:

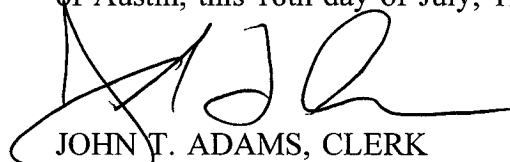
**The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Bonilla**

filed as No. 96-1381-C in the 148th District Court of Nueces County, Texas.

The Clerk of the Supreme Court shall promptly forward to the District Clerk of Nueces 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,

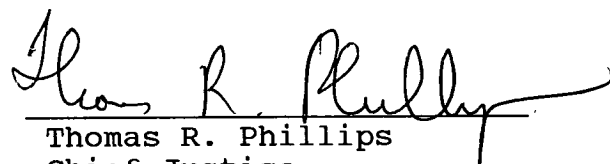
with the Seal thereof affixed at the City  
of Austin, this 18th day of July, 1996.



JOHN T. ADAMS, CLERK  
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

This assignment, made by Misc. Docket No. 96-9179, is also an assignment by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.057.

Signed this 22 day of July, 1996.

  
Thomas R. Phillips  
Chief Justice



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Mr. William D. Bonilla  
c/o Mr. Randall L. Meredith  
Bonilla & Berlanga, Inc.  
2727 Morgan Avenue  
Corpus Christi, Texas 78405-1821

Dear Mr. Young and Mr. Berlanga:

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 J. Ray gayle, III, Judge of the 239th District Court, Angleton, Texas to preside in

Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Bonilla.

Sincerely,

John T. Adams  
Clerk

cc: Mr. C. Charles Dippel  
55 Waugh Drive, Suite 603  
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The Honorable Oscar Soliz  
District Clerk of Nueces County  
County Courthouse  
901 Leopard  
Corpus Christi, Texas 78401

Dear Mr. Soliz:

Pursuant to Rule 3.03 of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure, I am sending for filing in State Bar of Texas Disciplinary Action styled: The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. William D. Bonilla, No. 96-1381-C in the 148th District Court of Nueces County, a copy of the Supreme Court's order appointing the Honorable J. Ray Gayle, III, Judge of the 239th District Court, Angleton, Texas, to preside in this Disciplinary Action.

Sincerely,

John T. Adams  
Clerk

cc: Hon. J. Ray Gayle, III  
Mr. William D. Bonilla  
Mr. Steven Young



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Honorable J. Ray Gayle, III  
Judge, 239th District Court  
310A Brazoria County Courthouse  
Angleton, Texas 77515-4678

Dear Judge Gayle:

We enclose for your information a copy of the order of assignment, a copy of the notification letter to Mr. Bonilla and Mr. Young, a copy of the disciplinary petition, and a copy of the letter to the District Clerk of Nueces County.

It is recommended that, six or eight weeks after receipt of this letter, your coordinator contact the district court administrator [512 888-0220] to learn the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of counsel for purposes of a scheduling conference. This should also be the number to call to reserve a court room, court reporter, etc. Also, either before or immediately after you set the case for trial, you should contact the Presiding Judge of the Administrative Judicial Region into which you have been assigned [210 544-0847] to obtain claims forms for your expenses incident to presiding over this disciplinary case.

Sincerely,

John T. Adams  
Clerk