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COMMISSION FOR LAWYER DISCIPLINE	§	IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
	§	
V.	§	HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS
	§	
THOMAS G. WAYLAND	§	___TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY PETITION

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Comes now, Petitioner, COMMISSION FOR LAWYER DISCIPLINE, a committee of the State Bar of Texas, complaining of Respondent, THOMAS G. WAYLAND, and in support thereof would respectfully show the Court the following:

Parties

Petitioner is the COMMISSION FOR LAWYER DISCIPLINE, a committee of the State Bar of Texas. Respondent, THOMAS G. WAYLAND, is an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Texas and is a member of the State Bar of Texas. Respondent is a resident of Hidalgo County, Texas and may be served with process at [REDACTED]

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Venue

Respondent's principal place of law practice is in Hidalgo County, Texas. Accordingly, pursuant to Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure 3.03, venue is proper in Hidalgo County, Texas.

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STATE BAR OF TEXAS



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January 7, 1997

John T. Adams, Clerk
Supreme Court of Texas
P.O. Box 12248
Austin, Texas 78711

RE: Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Thomas G. Wayland; In the District Courts
of Hidalgo County, Texas

Dear Mr. Adams:

Enclosed please find an original and two (2) copies of a Disciplinary Petition being filed by the Commission for Lawyer Discipline against Thomas G. Wayland. Mr. Wayland has designated Hidalgo County as his principal place of practice. Request is hereby made that the Court appoint an active District Judge who does not reside in the Administrative Judicial Region in which Respondent practices to preside in this case. Upon appointment, request is made that you notify the Respondent at the address shown below and the undersigned of the identity and address of the judge assigned:

Thomas G. Wayland
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

As a practical matter, I would respectfully suggest that you inquire with the judge to be appointed as to whether he or she will be able to comply with the 180 day deadline by which the case must be set for trial as set forth in Section 3.07 of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure. If not, I would respectfully request that an alternate appointment be made.

Once a trial judge has been appointed, please forward the original and two (2) copies of the Disciplinary Petition and the filing fee check, also enclosed herewith, and the Court's appointing order to the District Clerk of Hidalgo County, Texas, with the request that the suit be filed, service be obtained, and a filemarked copy of the petition returned to the undersigned.





THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

CHIEF JUSTICE
THOMAS R. PHILLIPS

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Mr. Thomas G. Wayland

[REDACTED]
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Dear Mr. Rivas and Mr. Wayland:

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 Mark Davidson, Judge of the 11th District Court, Houston, Texas to preside in

Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Thomas G. Wayland

Sincerely,

SIGNED

John T. Adams
Clerk



