

# IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

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Misc. Docket No. 18-9029

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## AMENDED EMERGENCY ORDER AFTER HURRICANE HARVEY PERMITTING OUT-OF-STATE LAWYERS TO PRACTICE TEXAS LAW TEMPORARILY

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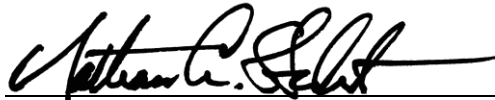
**ORDERED** that:

Misc. Docket No. 17-9101 is amended to read as follows:

Pursuant to Section 81.061 of the Texas Government Code, and notwithstanding Chapter 81, Subchapter G, an attorney who is licensed to practice law in another U.S. jurisdiction and who meets the following criteria is permitted to practice Texas law until August 31, 2018:

1. the attorney is in good standing with the entity that governs the practice of law in the jurisdiction where the attorney is licensed;
2. either:
  - a. the attorney is displaced from the attorney's home jurisdiction due to Hurricane Harvey and the attorney practices in Texas remotely as if the attorney were located in their home jurisdiction; or
  - b. the attorney provides services through a legal-aid or pro bono program or a bar association that provides services to victims of Hurricane Harvey;
3. as soon as possible after beginning to provide services under this order, the attorney returns to the State Bar of Texas the Registration for Temporary Practice of Texas Law form, attached to this order, if the attorney has not already returned the form in compliance with Misc. Docket No. 17-9101; and
4. the attorney agrees to abide by the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct and to submit to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Texas and the State Bar of Texas.

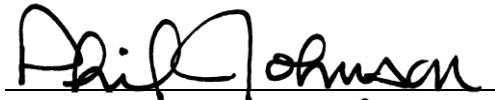
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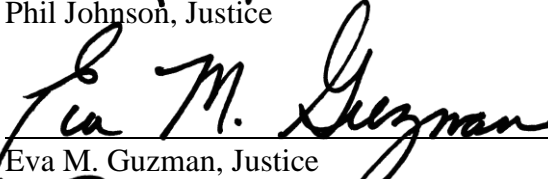
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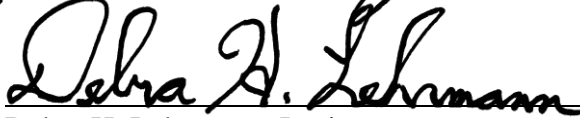
Paul W. Green, Justice



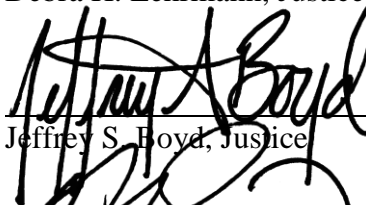
Phil Johnson, Justice



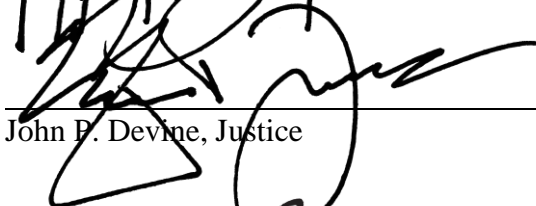
Eva M. Guzman, Justice



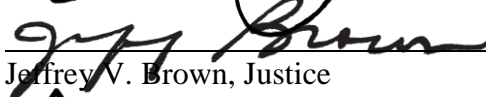
Debra H. Lehrmann, Justice



Jeffrey S. Boyd, Justice



John P. Devine, Justice



Jeffrey V. Brown, Justice



James D. Blacklock, Justice

# The Supreme Court of Texas

## REGISTRATION FOR TEMPORARY PRACTICE OF TEXAS LAW

Pursuant to Misc. Docket No. 18-9029, Amended Emergency Order After Hurricane Harvey  
Permitting Out-of-State Lawyers to Practice Texas Law Temporarily,  
issued by the Supreme Court of Texas on February 26, 2018

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THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL AND RECEIVED BY THE STATE  
BAR MEMBERSHIP DEPARTMENT AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE

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**Provide the following information:**

Attorney Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Permanent Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**List every state in which you are licensed and provide the other information requested for each state:**

| <u>State</u> | <u>Bar Number</u> | <u>Date Licensed</u> | <u>Good Standing</u><br>(Y or N) |
|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| _____        | _____             | _____                | _____                            |
| _____        | _____             | _____                | _____                            |
| _____        | _____             | _____                | _____                            |

Provide Texas contact information for your temporary business office or the entity for which you are volunteering. You must update this information within five business days of any changes:

Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Your E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact's Email and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

If associating with a Texas Attorney, please provide the name and Texas Bar Number of the Texas Attorney \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you intend to apply for admission to the State Bar of Texas? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY

“My name is \_\_\_\_\_, my  
(First) (Middle) (Last)  
date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_, and my address is  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)  
\_\_\_\_\_. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.  
(Country)

Executed in \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_.  
(Year) (Month)

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Declarant”

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**Return the original to the State Bar of Texas by one of the following methods: email to Sandra.Gavin@texasbar.com; fax to (512) 427-4311; or mail to the Membership Department, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711-12487**

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