

# TEXAS COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

## RULES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Court of Criminal Appeals Courtroom  
November 10, 2015, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

9 a.m.           **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

(remaining times are approximations)

9:10 a.m.       **Update on Criminal E-filing Rules**

1.       Became effective November 1, 2015
2.       Comment from district judge regarding possible conflict between TCCP 21.011 and Criminal E-filing Rule 1.3(1).

9:30 a.m.       **Other Rules Revisions**

1.       Consider new TRAP 4.5 (see attached memo)[Note: by amending TRAP 4.5, we need not revise TRAP 26.]
2.       Re-consider revision to TRAP 16.3 (see attached memo)
3.       Consider letter regarding TRAP 31 (see attached letter)
4.       Re-consider revision to TRAP 49.5, 49.6, and 49.7 (see attached memo)
5.       Consider revision to TRAP 73.4 (see attached memo)
6.       Re-consider revision to TRAP 79.2(d) (see attached memo)
7.       Consider revision to TRE 615 (see attached memo)
8.       Consider suggestion made to revise TRE 705 (no language change currently proposed - see attached memo)
9.       Consider revision to TRE 902(10) (see attached memo)
10.      Consider possible rules concerning standards for drug testing (see attached memo)
11.      FYI on Rule of Judicial Administration 6.1: in discussing time standards for disposing of cases, this rule says that criminal cases should be disposed of “[a]s provided by Article 32A.02, Code of Criminal Procedure.” Art. 32A.02 was declared unconstitutional by the CCA in 1987. Pursuant to their rulemaking authority under Texas Government Code § 74.024, the Texas Supreme Court is cleaning up this rule.
12.      Suggestions for other changes

10:45 a.m.      **Texas Rules of Criminal Procedure (should we develop??)**

1.       History
2.       Other states

11:15 a.m.      **Open Discussion**

Next meeting tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.