

## **Agenda for April 2017 CCA Rules Advisory Committee Meeting**

1. Welcome & Review of minutes from February 2017 Rules Advisory Committee Meeting.
2. Update on proposed amended Electronic Filing Rules published in April 2017 State Bar Journal and discussion of comments received. (See Exhibit A)
3. Discussion of new rewrite of proposed amendment to TEX. R. EVID. 615 (amendment to subsection (c)) to ensure compliance with TEX. CODE CRIM. PROC. art. 39.14. (See Exhibit F)
4. Discussion of TRAP Rules:
  - (a) Discussion of new rewrite of proposed amendment to TRAP 4.5 to deal with issue of late notice to defendant RE certain orders, such as in Chapter 64 proceedings. (See Exhibits B-1, B-2)
  - (b) Discussion of whether a new subsection in TRAP 73 is needed to cover the situation where an applicant wishes to bring an amended writ application or supplemental claims before the final disposition in the CCA of an Article 11.07 habeas application. The rule would essentially codify the CCA's holding in *Ex parte Saenz*, 491 S.W.3d 819 (Tex. Crim. App. 2016). (See Exhibit C)
  - (c) Discussion of proposal to amend TRAP 31 to make the rule mandating accelerated appeals of habeas corpus proceedings not apply to appeals from Article 11.072 and Article 11.09 writs. (See Exhibit D)
  - (d) Discussion of proposal to delete TRAP 21.6 requiring presentment of motion for new trial. (See Exhibit E)
5. Discussion of committee membership and schedule.