IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 17-9101

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

ORDERED that:

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 for six months from the date of this order:

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; 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.

Dated: August 30, 2017
The Supreme Court of Texas

REGISTRATION FOR TEMPORARY PRACTICE OF TEXAS LAW

Pursuant to Misc. Docket No. 17-9101, Amended Emergency Order After Hurricane Harvey Permitting Out-of-State Lawyers to Practice Texas Law Temporarily, issued by the Supreme Court of Texas on August 30, 2017

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

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:

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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 _______________________________
______________________________

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 _____________,
(Month) (Year)
________________________________________
Declarant”

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