ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc Docket No. 96-9021

Appointment of a District Judge to Preside in a State Bar Disciplinary Action

The Supreme Court of Texas hereby appoints the Honorable E. Lee Gabriel, Judge of the 367th District Court of Denton County, Texas, to preside in the Disciplinary Action styled:

The Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Thomas Jack Pearson

to be filed in a District Court of Harris County, Texas.

The Clerk of the Supreme Court shall promptly forward to the District Clerk of Harris County, Texas, a copy of this Order and of the Disciplinary Petition for filing and service pursuant to Rule 3.03, Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure.

As ordered by the Supreme Court of Texas, in chambers,

with the Seal thereof affixed at the City of Austin, this 9th day of January, 1996.

JOHN T. ADAMS, CLERK SUPPLEME COURT OF TEXAS This assignment, made by Misc. Docket No. 96-9021, is also an assignment by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court pursuant to Texas Government Code §74.057.

Signed this () day of January, 1996.

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Chief Justice