

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 11-9230

ORDER OF SUSPENSION Hon. William Adams

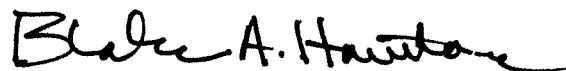
Pursuant to Article 5, Section 1-a(6)A of the Texas Constitution, and Rule 15(b) of the Texas Procedural Rules for the Removal or Retirement of Judges, the State Commission on Judicial Conduct has recommended the immediate suspension, with pay, of the Honorable William Adams, Judge of the County Court at Law, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, pending final disposition of the Sworn Complaint filed against him. In the Agreed Motion for Order of Suspension, Judge Adams and the Commission have agreed that: no Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law have been made by the Commission in connection with this action; Judge Adams does not admit guilt, fault, or wrongdoing regarding the allegations contained in the Sworn Complaint; Judge Adams voluntarily waives the notice and hearing requirements contained in Rule 15(b) of the Procedural Rules for the Removal or Retirement of Judges; and Judge Adams agrees to a temporary suspension from office, with pay, pending final disposition of the allegations made the basis of this inquiry or further orders of this Court.

Having considered the Agreed Motion for Order of Suspension and the Sworn Complaint, it is the Order of the Supreme Court of Texas that the Honorable William Adams, Judge of the County Court at Law, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, be immediately suspended from office, with pay, pending final disposition of the allegations made the basis of this inquiry or further orders of this Court.

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

With the Seal thereof affixed at the
City of Austin

This 22nd day of November, 2011.



BLAKE HAWTHORNE, CLERK
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS