

SCAC MEETING AGENDA

May 6-7, 2005

9:00 a.m.

Location: State Bar of Texas Building
1414 Colorado, Room 101
Austin, Texas 78711
512-463-1463

1. **WELCOME**

2. **STATUS REPORT FROM JUSTICE HECHT**

Justice Hecht will report on Supreme Court actions and those of other courts related to the Supreme Court Advisory Committee since the April 2005 meeting. Justice Hecht may refer new issues for the committee's study.

3. **SUBCOMMITTEE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - Electronic Filing (Orsinger/L. Jefferson)**

Letter from Judicial Committee on Information Technology - posted on website

4. **COURT REPORTER'S RECORD and ADMITTED EXHIBITS (Orsinger w/ Jackson)**

Letter from Justice Wainwright - posted on website
Letter from David Jackson – posted on website

5. **CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE AND CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (Dorsaneo)**

Letter from Chief Justice Radack - posted on website

6. **COURT OF APPEALS TRANSFERS - PRECEDENT FROM TRANSFEREE COURT (Dorsaneo)**

- a) Research memorandum entitled: "Coordinating a Conundrum: Texas Courts of Appeals' Struggle With Deciding Which Precedent to Apply When Cases Are Transferred to Them Under Texas Supreme Court Authority - posted on website
- b) SCR7 by Senator Duncan - posted on website
- c) Draft legislation by Council of Chief Justices (never acted on) - posted on website

7. **APPELLATE RULE CHANGES**
(Dorsaneo)

Appellate Rule Changes Concerning Civil Practice and Remedies Code Section 51.014 (d)-
(f) - redrafted version of proposed changes to Appellate Rules 12.1 and 25

- a) REVISED Memorandum dated 12/30/04 - posted on website
- b) Memorandum re: Proposed Amendments to Appellate Rule 28 dated 3/2/05 - posted on website

8. **T.R.C.P. 223 - ELECTRONIC JURY SHUFFLING**
(Sweeney)

Letter from Judge Christopher - posted on website

Letter from Judge Benton - posted on website

9. **T.R.C.P. 10 – PARTY’S PHONE NUMBER IN MOTION TO WITHDRAW REPRESENTATION**
(Hecht)

Letter from L. Hobbs to C. Babcock – posted on website