## JUDICIAL BRANCH CERTIFICATION COMMISSION Commission Meeting Agenda

Third Court of Appeals Price Daniel Sr. Building 209 W. 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 101 Austin, Texas 78701 Friday, January 23, 2015 (10:00 a.m. Until Adjournment)

- I. Call to Order; Roll Call and Certification of Quorum
- II. Pledge of Allegiance to United States Flag and Texas Flag
- III. Opening Remarks
  - A. Welcome Judge Lee Hamilton, Chairman
  - B. Certification Division Report Jeff Rinard, Certification Division Director
- IV. Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes September 5, 2014
- V. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Correspondence Regarding Issues Raised by Transition of Regulation of Process Servers to the Judicial Branch Certification Commission
- VI. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Complaint Regarding Release of Letter from Process Server Review Board to Stephen Hartman
- VII. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Request for Reconsideration In the Matter of Stephen Hartman, Cause No. PS2013-0026
- VIII. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Reporting Requirements & Noncompliance with Final Order

Court Reporters and Court Reporting Firms A. In the Matter of Helen Wooten, Cause No. 12-5447-43

IX. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Approval of Determination for Disciplinary Action by JBCC & Issuance of Final Order – complaints considered by JBCC on November 21, 2014

Process Servers – Respondent(s) Failed to Respond to Notice of Disciplinary Action by JBCC

A. In the Matter of Jason Lightner, Cause No. PS2014-0004

B. In the Matter of Rene Flores, Cause No. PS2014-0010

C. In the Matter of Keith Smith, Cause No. PS2014-0021

Process Servers – Respondent Accepts Disciplinary Action by JBCC A. In the Matter of James Waldrup, Cause No. PS2014-0023 X. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Complaints – Review Committee Recommendations to Dismiss

Process Servers Complaint Review Committee – considered on January 8, 2015:

- A. In the Matter of Jerry Caldwell, Cause No. PS2014-0019
- B. In the Matter of Danny Haney, Cause No. PS2014-0020
- C. In the Matter of Corina Woods, Cause No. PS2014-0024
- D. In the Matter of Brandon Gipson, Cause No. PS2014-0025
- E. In the Matter of Brandon Gipson, Cause No. CPS-15-09714-006
- F. In the Matter of John Thornton, Cause No. CPS-15-01229-003
- G. In the Matter of Michelle Gillespie, Cause No. CPS-15-00518-007 (Withdrawn)
- H. In the Matter of Vikki Accord, Cause No. CPS-15-06812-008
- I. In the Matter of Karl Waters, Cause No. CPS-15-06466-010
- J. In the Matter of James Bryant, Cause No. CPS-15-02199-013
- K. In the Matter of Teresa Roberts, Cause No. CPS-15-10825-017
- L. In the Matter of Robert Crow, Cause No. CPS-15-10334-018

Certified Guardians Certification Complaint Review Committee – considered on January 7, 2015:

- A. In the Matter of Patricia Graham-Casey, Cause No. CG-15-00433-004
- B. In the Matter of James Taylor, Cause No. CG-15-00415-005
- C. In the Matter of Greg Shannon, Cause No. CG-15-00096-011
- XI. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Complaints Review Committee Recommendations for Disciplinary Action

Process Servers Complaint Review Committee – considered on January 8, 2015:

- A. In the Matter of Wanda Dowlearn, Cause No. CPS-15-04802-002
- B. In the Matter of William Richardson, Cause No. CPS-15-02055-012

Court Reporters Certification Board (CRCB) Complaint Review Committee – considered on July 17, 2014:

- A. In the Matter of Gay Richey, Cause No. 14-7260-20
- B. In the Matter of Breann Hays, Cause No. 14-4211-29
- XII. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Requests for Reconsideration Administrative Dismissal of Complaints

Court Reporters Certification A. In the Matter of Karolyn Gittinger, Cause No. 14-5723-31 B. In the Matter of Tina Gregg, Cause No. CSR-15-00841-001

- XIII. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Advisory Board Recommendations for Matters Relating to the JBCC
  - A. Proposed Process Server Certification Code of Conduct
  - B. Proposed Criminal Conviction Guidelines
  - C. Proposed Complaint Administrative Dismissal Policy

- XIV. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Request for Reconsideration of a Denial of a Request for Endorsement to be a Certified Court Reporter in Texas Lisa Blanks-Arizona Certification
- XV. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on a Request for Endorsement to be a Licensed Court Interpreter in Texas Melissa Wallace-Wisconsin Certification
- XVI. Public Comments
- XVII. Report from Chair
- XVIII. Adjournment

The Commission may meet in closed session on any agenda item listed pursuant to Section 7(a)(2) of the Board's Public Meetings Policy, which states that the Commission may conduct a closed meeting to consult with its attorney on a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the Commission under the State Bar Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with the Commission's Policy.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids, services, or special accommodations are requested to contact Tyees Holcombe at (512) 475-4368 or <u>jbcc@txcourts.gov</u> within five (5) working days prior to meeting to make appropriate arrangements.