

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 92-0069

CREATION OF SUPREME COURT TASK FORCE ON JUDICIAL ETHICS

ORDERED:

To assist the Supreme Court in reviewing appropriate ethical standards for the judges of Texas, a Task Force on Judicial Ethics is hereby appointed.

This Task Force is charged with the responsibility of examining changes proposed in the recent revisions of the Model Code of Judicial Conduct recommended by the American Bar Association and any other changes that may be desirable to the Texas Code of Judicial Conduct. The study should also encompass enforcement of the Code by the State Commission on Judicial Conduct including, but not necessarily limited to, the adequacy of procedural rules to afford due process to those subject to investigation or prosecution for Code violations and the appropriate stage in the enforcement process at which charges should be made known to the public.

Justice Lloyd Doggett shall serve as chairman of the Task Force and its other members shall include:

Justice John T. Boyd, Amarillo

Judge Gary C. Franks, Richmond

The Honorable Barbara Jordan, Austin

Justice Mack Kidd, Austin

Judge Fernando G. Mancias, Edinburg

Judge Emil Karl Prohl, Kerrville

Ms. Joan Sanger, Austin

Judge Kitty Schild, El Paso

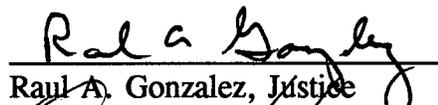
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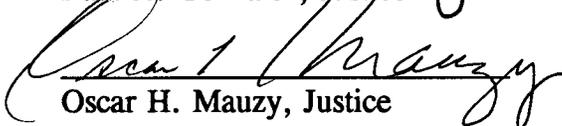
Judge Sharolyn Wood, Houston

The Task Force shall make written recommendations to the Supreme Court of Texas.

IN CHAMBERS, this 11th day of March, 1992.


Thomas R. Phillips, Chief Justice


Raul A. Gonzalez, Justice

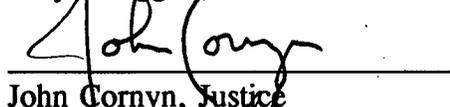

Oscar H. Mauzy, Justice


Eugene Cook, Justice


Jack Hightower, Justice


Nathan L. Hecht, Justice


Lloyd Doggett, Justice


John Cornyn, Justice


Bob Gammage, Justice