

TEXAS FAIR DEFENSE ACT
APPLICATION FOR COURT APPOINTMENTS IN 81ST/218TH DISTRICT COURTS
AND COUNTY COURTS OF ATASCOSA, FRIO, KARNES, LA SALLE & WILSON

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST: _____ SBN: _____
PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____
MAILING ADDRESS: _____
OFFICE: _____ FAX: _____ MOBILE: _____
E-MAIL: _____
NUMBER OF YEARS OF PRACTICE OF CRIMINAL LAW: _____

If new attorney, please attach resume or c.v.

I, _____, hereby request to be placed on the Public Appointment List for the following category (ies):

CATEGORY A (CAPITAL CASE):

____ (A-1) CAPITAL TRIAL

____ (A-2) CAPITAL APPELLATE (SUBMIT A BRIEF YOU HAVE AUTHORED)

CATEGORY B (FELONY):

____ ALL FELONY

____ (B-7) APPELLATE

CATEGORY C (MISDEMEANOR):

____ (C-1) CLASS "A", "B" AND "C"

CATEGORY D (JUVENILE)

____ (D) JUVENILE

CLASS E (WRITS)

____ (E-1) WRITS OF HABEAS CORPUS

____ WRIT CATEGORY (POST CONVICTION)

CLASS F (SPECIAL LANGUAGE)

____ (F) SPECIAL LANGUAGE APPOINTMENT (SPECIFY LANGUAGE): _____

NAME OF REFERRING ATTORNEY: _____

COUNTIES IN WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE APPOINTMENTS: (circle)

WILSON

ATASCOSA

FRIO

KARNES

LA SALLE

I meet the requirements to be placed on the appointment list. I have read and understand the requirements for appointments in this jurisdiction.

I understand that the law requires that I make every reasonable effort to contact the defendant not later than the end of the first working day after the date on which I am appointed and interview the defendant as soon as practicable after I am appointed. I will represent the defendant until charges are dismissed, the defendant is acquitted, appeals are exhausted, or until I am relieved of my duties by the Court or replaced by other counsel.

I also understand that as an officer of the Court I will be held responsible by the Courts for the truthfulness of the information provided in this form.

Signature of Applicant

Judge's Signature

____ Approved

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