**Attorney Application for Appointment**

**I. ATTORNEY CONTACT INFORMATION:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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CELLULAR PHONE #:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Will you keep your fax machine on between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00p.m., Monday through Friday, except for holidays? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_

**II. INCLUSION ON THE APPOINTMENT LIST**

I hereby request that I be considered for inclusion on the list of licensed attorneys eligible to receive court appointments in  POTTER,  RANDALL and/or

 ARMSTRONG County, Texas for the following types of matters (check each one that applies):

*Misdemeanor* \_\_\_\_\_ *Second Degree Felony \_\_\_\_\_*

*State Jail Felony \_\_\_\_\_ First Degree Felony* \_\_\_\_\_

*Third Degree Felony \_\_\_\_\_ Appeals & Writs* \_\_\_\_\_

**III. EDUCATION, LICENSE AND CLE BACKGROUND**

1. Month and Year licensed to practice law in Texas: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Law School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Year graduated:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Other relevant education: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. Have you attended the Advanced Criminal Law Course? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_
   1. If yes, what year: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. Have you attended the Juvenile Law Conference? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_
   1. If yes, what year: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. Have you had at least 6 C.L.E. hours in criminal law in the last year? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_
7. Have you had at least 6 C.L.E. hours in juvenile law in the last year? YES\_\_\_NO\_\_\_\_

**IV. CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE TRIAL/APPEALS EXPERIENCE**

1. How many years have you been practicing criminal law? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. If applicable, describe your felony trial experience by providing the following information:
   1. Number of cases you have handled as lead counsel. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Number of cases you handled as 2nd chair counsel. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Number of cases tried to a verdict before a jury. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* 1. Date, cause #, client name, and felony trial court [**two** most recent jury trials]

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1. If applicable, describe your misdemeanor trial experience by providing the following information:
   1. Approximate number of cases you have handled as lead counsel. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Approximate number of cases tried to a verdict before a jury. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Date, cause #, client name and misdemeanor trial court [most recent jury trial(s)]

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1. If applicable, describe your juvenile trial experience by providing the following information:
   1. Approximate number of cases you have handled as lead counsel. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Approximate number of cases tried to a verdict before a jury. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Date and court of last juvenile jury trial. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. If seeking appointments for criminal appeals or writ applications, in the space below provide all necessary information corresponding to the subsection of Section III, Part A (v) of the Courts Plan under which you are submitting your application. If submitting your application under subpart 2 of Section III, Part A (v), provide the appeal number, client name and appellate court for three appellate briefs or post-conviction writs of habeas corpus you have authored and filed. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**V. OTHER SKILLS**

1. Are you fluent in any language other than English? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_
   1. If yes, what language(s): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**VI. ETHICS AND PRIOR SANCTION HISTORY DISCLOSURE**

1. Have you ever been sanctioned or reprimanded by the State Bar? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_

If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Has an Appellate Court found that you have provided ineffective assistance as counsel? YES\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_ If Yes, identify the case or cases: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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***By my signature below, I affirm that I have read the Armstrong, Potter and Randall District and County Courts Plan[[1]](#footnote-1)[1], that I meet the qualifications for appointment for the categories for which I am requesting appointment, and that all of the answers and information provided in this application are true and correct.***

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**Date Attorney’s Signature**

1. [1] The District Courts Plan may be found at  <https://tidc.tamu.edu/IDPlan/ViewPlan.aspx?PlanID=212> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)