

**ATTORNEY'S APPLICATION FOR THE APPELLATE
APPOINTMENT LIST
(INDIGENT MISDEMEANOR APPEALS)**

I am filing this application with the Judges of the Statutory County Courts at Law of Ellis County, Texas in compliance with the Ellis County Indigent Defense Plan ("Plan") for establishment of a list of eligible licensed attorneys for the criminal appellate appointment list (indigent misdemeanor appeals) in Ellis County, Texas, and do certify to said Court that the following information is true and correct. I represent that the information furnished is current and understand that the Court will rely upon this information to verify that I am at all times eligible under the Plan. Should any change in this information occur, I understand that I must notify the Court and if applicable, file an amendment with the Court as soon as practicable.

Office address _____

Office phone number _____

Office fax number (optional) _____

E-mail address _____

State Bar No. _____

I meet the following requirements:

- Licensed by the Supreme Court of Texas and currently in good standing with the State Bar of Texas.
- Competent to represent on appeal persons accused of misdemeanor offenses.
- Ability to provide professional appellate representation in an average amount of time commensurate with the average ability of experienced criminal law attorneys for similar cases with similar legal issues.
- Completed a minimum of twelve hours of CLE pertaining to state criminal trial law or state criminal appellate law within the twelve-month period prior to the date of the application, or alternatively, maintain a specialization in criminal trial law or criminal appellate law through the Texas Board of Legal Specialization.
- Applicant will comply with the reporting requirements of Article 26.04 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, including the practice-time statement, for past appointments received from Ellis County, Texas and comply with all reporting requirements, including Article 26.04(j)(4), with regard to any appointments that I receive in Ellis County, Texas.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 20__.

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