

# Supreme Court of Texas

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Misc. Docket No. 26-9043

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## Order Amending Canon 3(B)(9) of the Texas Code of Judicial Conduct

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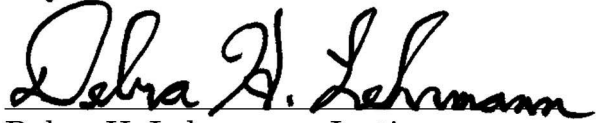
**ORDERED** that:

1. In accordance with Act of June 2, 2025, 89th Leg., R.S., ch. 1130, (S.B. 293), the Court approves the following amendments to Canon 3(B)(9) of the Texas Code of Judicial Conduct, effective immediately.
2. The Clerk is directed to:
  - a. file a copy of this order with the Secretary of State;
  - b. send a copy of this order to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and each elected member of the Legislature;
  - c. cause a copy of this order to be mailed to each registered member of the State Bar of Texas by publication in the *Texas Bar Journal*; and
  - d. submit a copy of this order for publication in the *Texas Register*.

Date: June 12, 2026.



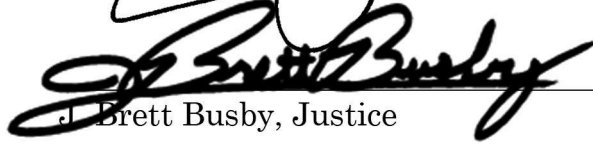
James D. Blacklock, Chief Justice



Debra H. Lehrmann, Justice



John P. Devine, Justice



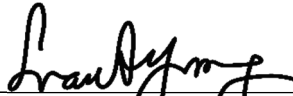
J. Brett Busby, Justice



Jane N. Bland, Justice



Rebeca A. Huddle, Justice



Evan A. Young, Justice



James P. Sullivan, Justice



Kyle D. Hawkins, Justice

## TEXAS CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT

### Canon 3: Performing the Duties of Judicial Office Impartially and Diligently

#### B. Adjudicative Responsibilities.

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(9) A judge should dispose of all judicial matters promptly, efficiently and fairly. Willful, persistent, and unjustifiable failure to timely execute the business of the court is subject to discipline.

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