IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Misc. Docket No. 05-9153

EMERGENCY ORDER PERMITTING LAWYERS DISPLACED BY HURRICANE KATRINA TO CONTINUE REPRESENTING CLIENTS FROM TEMPORARY OFFICES IN TEXAS

ORDERED that:

Until further order of this Court, and notwithstanding Texas Government Code chapter 81, subchapter G, an attorney holding a valid law license issued by Louisiana, Mississippi, or Alabama, who is in good standing with the attorney's respective state bar, and who is displaced from the attorney's home jurisdiction due to Hurricane Katrina, is permitted to practice law for 30 days from the date of this order from a location in Texas as if the attorney were located in the state in which the attorney is licensed.

As ordered by the Supreme Court of Texas, in Chambers,

With the Seal thereof affixed at the City of Austin, this 2nd day of September, 2005.

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ANDREW WEBER, CLERK THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS