

D-1-GN-61-121012

IN THE DISTRICT COURTS

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OF

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CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS

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TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

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**GENERAL ORDER OF REFERRAL AND AUTHORIZATION FOR TRAVIS COUNTY
CRIMINAL LAW ASSOCIATE JUDGES TO ACT ON CERTAIN MATTERS**

Pursuant to Section 54A.007, Texas Government Code, it is hereby ordered that the Travis County Criminal Law Associate Judges are authorized and directed to take appropriate action on the following matters, and the Associate Judges are authorized to:

- Take any action listed in Government Code sections 54A.006 and 54A.008, unless limited by an order of referral;
- Issue a search warrant or arrest warrant;
- Issue a subpoena or an order requiring the production of medical records, including records relating to mental health and/or substance-abuse treatment;
- Accept a waiver of extradition;
- Issue a grand jury subpoena;
- Grant a personal bond in circumstances where permitted by the Code of Criminal Procedure;
- Grant a motion to revoke a personal bond;
- Order forfeiture of bail, increase of bail, or amendment of bond conditions;
- Issue orders modifying conditions of community supervision or discharging defendants from community supervision;
- On a motion to revoke community supervision or on a motion to proceed to an adjudication of guilt, sign orders for an arrest warrant or summons;
- Approve a waiver of indictment;
- Order a competency exam or sign an agreed order of incompetency;
- Issue an order refunding a cash bond;
- Conduct status reviews with the parties in unindicted cases;
- Issue an order transferring a case to County Court;

- Issue an order under Subchapter C, Chapter 18B, Code of Criminal Procedure, for the installation and use of:
 - (a) a pen register;
 - (b) an ESN reader;
 - (c) a trap and trace device; or
 - (d) equipment that combines the function of a pen register and a trap and trace device;
- Issue an order to obtain access to stored communications under Article 18B.352, Code of Criminal Procedure;
- Issue an order for the installation and use of a mobile tracking device under Subchapter E, Chapter 18B, Code of Criminal Procedure;
- Select a jury; and
- Accept pleas and impose sentence in plea-bargain cases.

SIGNED, ORDERED AND ENTERED THE 26th DAY OF September, 2025



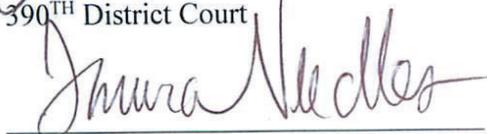
JUDGE CLIFF BROWN
Presiding Judge of the Criminal Courts
147TH District Court



JUDGE KAREN SAGE
299TH District Court



JUDGE JULIE KOCUREK
390TH District Court



JUDGE TAMARA NEEDLES
427TH District Court



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