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PERSONAL

Born: August 26, 1948
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PRE-LEGAL EDUCATION

University of Texas at Arlington (B.A. with High Honors, 1970)
Major: History
Minor: French
Grade Point Average: 3.67/4.0

LEGAL EDUCATION

University of Texas at Austin; Doctor Of Jurisprudence (August 1973)
Courses with honor grades: Texas Land Titles

SPECIAL SCHOLASTIC HONORS AND AWARDS:

Brief Writing and Appellate Advocacy Special Recognition Award (Law School, Spring 1971)

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

November 1973 to January 1975

Associate of successful civil attorney representing interests of a number of high-profile clients (including the late Joe Johnson, developer of Memorial City Mall and Spring Shadows residential subdivisions); duties included drafting pleadings, court appearances on civil motion hearings, client interviews, the preparation of legal memoranda and depositions; and negotiating with adverse attorneys; handled an occasional misdemeanor for civil clients of the firm.

February 1975 to August 1977

Engaged in general private practice, divided among general civil, family and criminal law

September 1977 to December 31, 2008

Partner in the law firm of Ritchie & Glass; firm practice included general civil litigation, including collections, personal injury, wills and probate, contracts and some family law; firm eventually practiced almost exclusively criminal law; partnership ended upon partner taking office as elected judge of the 337th Criminal District Court of Harris County, Texas.

January 1, 2009 to Present

Engaged in the solo practice of Criminal Law.

PRACTICE EXPERTISE

Extensive experience in the defense, trial and appeal of all kinds of criminal cases other than capital murder, including factual investigation, legal research and trial strategy; experienced in appeal of criminal cases; have tried almost 100 jury trials to verdict, all but

two or three as sole or lead defense counsel; have tried, as lead counsel, two or three civil cases, including personal injury and libel cases.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

Elected to Phi Alpha Theta for scholastic achievements in field of History (undergraduate major)

Elected to Alpha Chi National Honorary Society (undergraduate)

Board Certified, Criminal Law, Texas Board of Legal Specialization (1983)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

State Bar of Texas

Harris County Criminal Lawyers Association;

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association;

College of the State Bar

Houston Association of Realtors

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

Licensed to practice by State Bar of Texas in all Texas Courts

Licensed to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States

Licensed to practice before the United States Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals

Licensed to practice before the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas

Licensed to practice before the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas

Licensed by the State of Texas as a Real Estate Broker

DISCIPLINARY HISTORY

Never disciplined in any manner, publicly or privately, by the State Bar of Texas or any State or Federal Court.

POLITICAL HISTORY

1984 - Challenged the incumbent "Democratic" Judge of the 174th Criminal District Court of Harris County, Texas (Hon. John Hughes) in the Democratic Primary. Judge Hughes changed parties before the next election cycle.

1988 - Was elected, in a three-person contest followed by a runoff, the Democratic Party's nominee for Judge of the 174th Criminal District Court of Harris County, Texas, losing the general election to the Republican nominee, George Godwin.

2002 through 2008 - actively engaged in procuring candidate nominating petitions, campaigning and fund-raising for Herb Ritchie, the Democratic Party nominee for Judge of the 232nd District Court, the 174th Criminal District Court, and the 337th Criminal District Court of Harris County, Texas.

2000 to 2002 - Served as Democratic Precinct Judge of Precinct 34, Harris County, Texas conducting and supervising elections, recruiting Democratic voters and working to turn out my precinct's vote for our Party's candidates in the general election.

Sustaining Member of the Harris County Democratic Party.