

**APPLICATION FOR THE McLENNAN COUNTY COURTS AT LAW
ATTORNEY CRIMINAL APPOINTMENT LIST**

Full Name: _____
Office Address: _____
Mailing Address: (if diff.) _____
City, State and Zip: _____
Home Address: _____
City, State and Zip: _____

Texas State Bar No. _____
Office Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____
Office Fax: _____
E-Mail Address: _____
Birth Date: _____

Note: Your primary office must be in McLennan County. You must maintain a physical office address in McLennan County, with local telephone and facsimile numbers. Your office telephone must be answered, during business hours, by you or your reception staff, not by a messaging device. You must notify the Court Administrator immediately of any changes to any of the information above.

EDUCATION:

Undergraduate School: _____ Date Graduated: _____
Law School: _____ Date Graduated: _____
Are you fluent in any language other than English? Yes ___ No ___ Which language(s)? _____
Have you attended the Advanced Criminal Law Course within the last four years? Yes ___ No ___
Have you had at least eight hours of CLE in Criminal Law in the last compliance year? Yes ___ No ___

If "Yes," attach documentation or give details below

PROFESSIONAL:

Date licensed to practice law in Texas: _____
Are you licensed to practice in federal court or other states. Yes ___ No ___ *If checked, what Courts?* _____
Have you ever been publicly sanctioned or publicly reprimanded by the State Bar? Yes ___ No ___

If "Yes," explain: _____

Have you ever been involuntarily removed from or denied inclusion in any court appointment list? Yes ___ No ___

If "Yes," explain: _____

EXPERIENCE:

Briefly describe your legal experience, including your fields of legal practice. (Include the percentage which has been criminal law.)

Have you ever served in a criminal prosecutor's office? Yes ___ No ___

If "Yes," where and when: _____

How many criminal cases (estimated) have you prosecuted as lead counsel, (regardless of disposition)?

Misdemeanor _____ Felony _____

How many criminal cases (estimated) have you defended as lead counsel, (regardless of disposition)?

Misdemeanor _____ Felony _____

How many criminal jury trials (estimated) have you tried as lead counsel?

Misdemeanor _____ Felony _____

How many contested non-jury criminal matters have you tried as lead counsel?

Misdemeanor _____ Felony _____

(Check all that apply)

- Have at least one year experience in criminal litigation.
 - Have tried, as lead defense counsel, at least one criminal case of the grade of Class B misdemeanor or higher.
 - Have briefed and/or argued at least one criminal case on appeal.
 - I am board certified in criminal law.
 - I possess the following special qualifications to represent criminal defendants:
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AVAILABILITY:

In order to receive misdemeanor appointments, you must (check those with which you currently comply):

- Maintain a local (*McLennan County*) principal office with a local business phone which is answered by a receptionist or answering service from 8:00 a.m. through 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding official county holidays);
- Have a receptionist or answering service which will promptly notify you of any and all appointments or court hearings;
- Maintain a fax number or an email address which will receive transmitted documents 24 hours a day, 7 days a week;
- Maintain, or have access to, local (*McLennan County*) office or conference space where you can meet with Defendants.

By my signature I attest that:

1. The information I have provided in this application is true and accurate;
2. I will comply with the requirements of Article 26.04(j)(1), Texas Code of Criminal Procedure;
3. I have read, I am qualified under and I will comply with the McLennan County Courts at Law Indigent Defense Plan, as amended, and all other local Court rules; and
4. I will inform the County Courts at Law immediately if I become disqualified for the misdemeanor appointment list.

I wish to receive notices of appointments, reset notices, and all other communication from the Court at my: (*select one*)

e-mail address facsimile telephone number physical address

SIGNED on: _____.

Applicant

Sponsoring Attorney (*If Required*)

Printed Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State and Zip Code: _____
Telephone: _____

Approved Not Approved

Vikram Deivanayagam, Judge Date
County Court at Law

Approved Not Approved

Brad Cates, Judge Date
County Court at Law No. Two

Approved Not Approved

Ryan Luna, Judge Date
County Court at Law No. Three