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August 13, 2007

Mr. G. Tommy Bastian
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Dear Mr. Bastian:

Thank you for your recent letter advising the Court of needed amendments to Texas Rules of Civil Procedure 735 and 736. By copy on this letter, I am referring the matter to the Supreme Court Advisory Committee and ask that it be placed on the agenda for their next meeting.

The SCAC may agree that another Home Equity Loan Foreclosure Task Force is warranted. If so, I will enthusiastically welcome recommendations from you, Mr. Mike Baggett, and my esteemed former colleague James A. Baker on its membership.

In the meantime, I hope your travels will allow you to attend the meeting. It will begin at 9 a.m. on August 24, 2007, at the State Bar Building. For more information, please contact me directly or Jody Hughes at jody.hughes@courts.state.tx.us or 512.463.1353.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wallace B. Jefferson".

Wallace B. Jefferson
Chief Justice

c: Honorable Nathan Hecht
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