

SCAC MEETING AGENDA

April 1-2, 2005

9:00 a.m.

Location: Texas Association of Broadcasters
502 E. 11th, Suite 200
Austin, Texas 78701
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1. **WELCOME**

2. **STATUS REPORT FROM JUSTICE HECHT**

Justice Hecht will report on Supreme Court actions and those of other courts related to the Supreme Court Advisory Committee since the March 2005 meeting. Justice Hecht may refer new issues for the committee's study.

3. **PROPOSED RULE OF JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION 14 (AND 15, AS DRAFTED)**

- a) **Subcommittee Draft dated 3/24/05** - posted on website
- b) Hobbs letter dated 11/2/04, Public Access to Court Case Records in Texas - posted on website
- c) Wilder letter on access to court records - posted on website
- d) Weston email - posted on website
- e) Survey of State Court Administrators - posted on website
- f) Bacarisse letter - posted on website
- g) ChoicePoint letter to Chief Justice Phillips - posted on website
- h) Coffey letter - posted on website
- i) Chief Justice Jefferson (as Chair of the Texas Judicial Council) letter dated 2/7/05 - posted on website
- j) Comments of The Reporters Committee For Freedom of the Press dated 1/7/05
- k) **Filed Bills Potentially Relevant to E-Access to Court Case Records** – posted on website (brought to March meeting by Lisa Hobbs)

SPEAKERS:

- 1. Debbie Bucko - Civil Bureau Director for Harris County District Clerk's Office
- 2. Paul Billingsley - Technology Director for Harris County District Clerk's Office

NOTE: ALL OTHER ITEMS FROM THE MARCH AGENDA WILL BE BACK ON THE MAY 6-7 AGENDA.