

No. 236-212226-05

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPEAL OF	§	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION	§	
DOCKET NUMBER SC-211170	§	
	§	
JOHN WILLIAMS, PAT ELFRINK	§	
DEWEY MARKHAM, DAVID AVERITT, JR.	.,§	
ROBERT HURLEY, JOHN PATINO,	§	TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS
TRACY HENDERSON, PHILLIP JENNINGS,	§	
Respondents	§	
	§	
v	§	
	§	
STATE OF TEXAS, TEXAS ETHICS	§	
COMMISSION	§	236 TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ORDER ON PLAINTIFF-RESPONDENTS' AND DEFENDANTS' CROSS MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Before the Court are Plaintiff-Respondents' motion for summary judgment, Defendants' motion for summary judgment, and the parties' responses to the opposing parties' motions.

After considering the pleadings as well as argument of counsel, the Court is of the opinion that Defendants' motion for summary judgment should be GRANTED and Plaintiff-Respondents' motion for summary judgment should be DENIED. It is therefore,

ORDERED that Plaintiff-Respondents' motion for summary judgment is DENIED. Furthermore, it is

ORDERED that Defendants' motion for summary judgment is GRANTED in full and the Texas Ethics Commission's decision is AFFIRMED. It is further

ORDERED that that all claims against Defendants are DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE, that all relief not specifically granted herein is hereby denied.

Signed this the 17 day of October, 2007 at noon.

Tom Lowe

236th District Court Judge

AGREED AS TO FORM:

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