



**BEFORE THE BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS
APPOINTED BY THE
SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS**

**IN THE MATTER OF
ROBERT B. EVANS, III,
State Bar of Texas Card No. 24005767**

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CAUSE NO. 67842

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE ON PETITION FOR RECIPROCAL DISCIPLINE

Pursuant to Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure (“TRDP”) Part IX, the Commission for Lawyer Discipline, Petitioner, filed its Petition for Reciprocal Discipline against Robert B. Evans, III, Respondent, on May 4, 2023. The Petition states that on or about January 27, 2023, the Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana issued an Order/Per Curiam disbaring Respondent in the matter styled *In Re: Robert Bartholomew Evans, III*, No. 2022-B-1439. A true and correct copy of the Petition for Reciprocal Discipline, which includes the disbarment order, is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as if set forth in full.

It is, therefore, **ORDERED** that Respondent, Robert B. Evans, III, shall, within thirty (30) days from the date of service of this Order to Show Cause on Petition for Reciprocal Discipline, show cause why the imposition of identical discipline, to the extent practicable, in Texas by the Board of Disciplinary Appeals pursuant to TRDP 9.02 would be unwarranted. If Respondent is served by mail, Respondent shall show cause within thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order to Show Cause. Respondent should consult TRDP Part IX regarding the failure to file an answer. Failure to file a timely answer may waive Respondent’s right to raise the defenses set forth in TRDP 9.04 and limit the scope of the hearing to exclude presentation of any such defenses. *See* TEX. RULES DISCIPLINARY P. R. 9.01–04; BODA INTERNAL PROCEDURAL RULES R. 7.03.

It is further **ORDERED** that this matter is set for hearing before the Board on Friday, July 28, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in the courtroom of the Supreme Court of Texas, Austin, Texas.

SIGNED this 16th day of May 2023.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kevin H.", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

CHAIR PRESIDING