



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

**IN THE MATTER OF
JAMES CHRISTOPHER PITTMAN
STATE BAR CARD NO. 24013337**

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CAUSE NO. 73020

RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

NOW COMES James Christopher Pittman, Respondent, and brings his Motion for Continuance and in support hereof, shows the Board of Disciplinary Appeals the following:

BACKGROUND FACTS

1. The Commission for Lawyer Discipline has brought this Petition for Compulsory Discipline against Respondent. The petition was filed with the Board of Disciplinary Appeals on May 6, 2026. Counsel for the Commission contacted the undersigned counsel inquiring whether counsel would accept service of the petition on behalf of Respondent and the undersigned counsel agreed.

2. The petition included a Notice of Hearing stating that trial on the merits would be held before the Board of Disciplinary Appeals at their next regularly scheduled meeting in Austin on July 31, 2026, beginning at 9:00 a.m.. Counsel for Respondent was not consulted on this setting.

3. The undersigned counsel has a scheduled vacation to Chapel Hill, North Carolina, from July 25, 2026 to August 2, 2026. The purpose of this vacation is to visit family members who reside in Chapel Hill. The timing of the vacation schedule is to allow members of the family here in Dallas who are in school to be included after summer school or summer activities have

been completed, but just prior to the start of the fall semester at various schools.

REQUESTED RELIEF

4. Respondent requests that the Board grant this motion for continuance and that trial on the merits be reset to the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Disciplinary Appeals so as to allow Respondent's counsel to join his family in the scheduled vacation referenced above.

5. This continuance is not sought for purposes of delay, but that the ends of justice may be served.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, James Christopher Pittman, Respondent, requests that the Board of Disciplinary Appeals grant this Motion for Continuance and for such other and further relief that may be awarded at law or in equity.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

The undersigned counsel has spoken with Ramiro Canales, attorney for the Commission on Lawyer Discipline, who advised that the Commission opposes the granting of this motion.

/s/ Daniel P. Garrigan

Daniel P. Garrigan

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

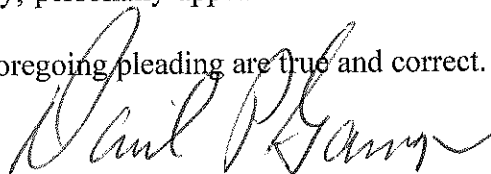
I certify that a true copy of Respondent's Motion for Continuance was served on the attorney for the Commission on Lawyer Discipline in accordance with rule 21a of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure on May 26, 2026.

/s/ Daniel P. Garrigan

Daniel P. Garrigan

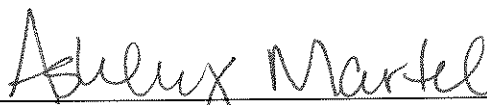
VERIFICATION

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Daniel P. Garrigan, who, on oath, stated that the statements made in the foregoing pleading are true and correct.



Daniel P. Garrigan

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME on the 26 day of May, 2026 by Daniel P. Garrigan.



Notary Public, State of Texas

