



**BEFORE THE
STATE COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT**

**IN RE: CHARLES LEON HURSE
MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE
LADONIA, FANNIN COUNTY, TEXAS
(CJC No. 10-0260-MU)**

**VOLUNTARY AGREEMENT TO RESIGN FROM
JUDICIAL OFFICE IN LIEU OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

This Agreement is being entered into by the undersigned parties pursuant to Section 33.032(h) of the Texas Government Code.

WHEREAS on November 2, 2009, a complaint was filed with the State Commission on Judicial Conduct (hereinafter the "Commission") against Judge Charles Leon Hurse, Municipal Court Judge, Ladonia, Fannin County, Texas, regarding his alleged failure to comply with mandatory judicial educational requirements for fiscal year 2009.

WHEREAS the parties agree that the allegations of judicial misconduct, if found to be true, would result in disciplinary action against Judge Hurse, and

WHEREAS the parties to this Agreement are desirous of resolving these matters without the time and expense of further disciplinary proceedings.


IT IS THEREFORE AGREED that Judge Hurse, upon the signing of this Agreement, shall resign his judicial office in lieu of disciplinary action by the Commission, pursuant to Section 33.032(h) of the Texas Government Code. The Commission agrees that it shall pursue no further disciplinary proceedings against Judge Hurse in connection with the above-referenced matter.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED that Judge Hurse, by his execution of this voluntary agreement, does not admit guilt, fault or liability regarding the matters contained in the complaint.

AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED upon its execution by the parties.


JUDGE CHARLES LEON HURSE

Date: 3-18-2010


HON. JORGE C. RANGEL, Chair *via chair*
State Commission on Judicial Conduct

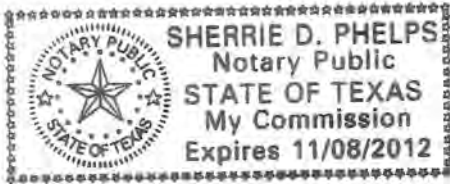
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VERIFICATION

State of Texas §
County of Fannin §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Charles Leon Hurse, who by me being first duly sworn, on his oath deposed and said that the above "Voluntary Agreement to Resign from Judicial Office in Lieu of Disciplinary Action" is a true and correct recitation of the facts and accurately reflects his understanding of the terms and conditions of, and voluntary consent to enter into, such Agreement.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, on this the 18 day of March, 2010.



Sherrie Phelps
NOTARY PUBLIC, IN AND FOR THE
STATE OF TEXAS