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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

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REAPPOINTMENT OF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE HARRY W. McKEÈ

The Judicial Conference of the United States Courts has voted to continue the magistrate judge's position currently occupied by Harry W. McKee for another eight-year term of office. Magistrate Judge McKee's current term of office expires on August 5, 1998.

A Merit Selection Panel was appointed to assist the Court in its determination as to the reappointment of the incumbent. The Panel reviewed Magistrate Judge McKee's performance in office, and unanimously recommended him for reappointment.

After due consideration of the report of the Panel, the judges of this court hereby reappoint Harry W. McKee to a new term in the position of United States Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of Texas, effective August 5, 1998.

SIGNED this 29% of December, 1997.

FOR THE COURT:

RICHARD A. SCHELL

CHIEF JUDGE