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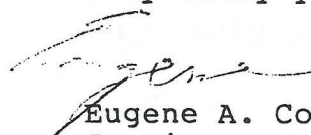
Honorable Norman W. Black
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Dear Judge Black:

Thank you so very much for your help. All of our efforts together have borne fruit.

On November 7, 1989 The Supreme Court and The Court of Criminal Appeals jointly adopted "The Texas Lawyer's Creed -- A Mandate for Professionalism." This will be a lasting memorial of your commitment to our profession. Again, thank you so very much for everything you have done to make this a success.

Very truly yours,


Eugene A. Cook
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Enclosure