

Plot Ye Course Petitions for Discretionary Review & Motions for Rehearing

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**PDR
Calendar
Due Date**

30 Days

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New Rule (8/1/22)

Identity of Counsel & Parties

Rule 53. Petition for Review

53.2. Contents of Petition

The petition for review must, under appropriate headings and in the order here indicated, contain the following items:

- (a) *Identity of Parties and Counsel.* The petition must give a complete list of all parties to the trial court's final judgment, ~~and the names and addresses of all trial and appellate counsel.~~ The petition must also give a complete list of the names of all counsel appearing in the trial or appellate courts; their firm or office name at the time of the appearance; and, for counsel currently appearing, their mailing address, telephone number, and email address. If new counsel appears or if any counsel currently appearing changes firm or office affiliation during the pendency of the appeal, lead counsel for the party must notify the clerk by filing a supplemental disclosure.

- Firm name
- Telephone
- Email

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Degrade v. State,
712 S.W.2d 755 (Tex. Crim. App. 1986)

A PDR must:

“specifically address the court of appeals opinion and its effect on our jurisprudence.”

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