UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS



LAREDO DIVISION

PUBLIC NOTICE

REAPPOINTMENT OF INCUMBENT MAGISTRATE JUDGE DIANA SONG QUIROGA

The current term of the office of United States Magistrate Diana Song Quiroga at Laredo, Texas, is due to expire January 3, 2020. The United States District Court is required by law to establish a panel of citizens to consider the reappointment of Magistrate Judge Song Quiroga to a new 8-year term.

The duties of a Magistrate Judge position include the following:

- 1. Conducting most preliminary proceedings in criminal cases;
- 2. Trial and disposition of misdemeanor cases;
- 3. Conducting various pretrial matters and evidentiary proceedings on delegation from the judges of the district court; and,
- 4. Trial and disposition of civil cases upon consent of the litigants.

The court invites comments from members of the bar and the public as to whether the panel should recommend the reappointment of Magistrate Judge Song Quiroga to the court. Direct comments under confidential cover to:

> Diana Song Quiroga Reappointment Panel Attention: David J. Bradley, U. S. District Clerk P.O. Box 61010 Houston, Texas 77208

Comments must be received no later than July 1, 2019, 5:00 p.m.