

Tex. Est. Code § 22.007

Section 22.007 - Court; County Court, Probate Court, and Statutory Probate Court

(a) "Court" means and includes:

- (1) a county court in the exercise of its probate jurisdiction;
- (2) a court created by statute and authorized to exercise original probate jurisdiction; and
- (3) a district court exercising original probate jurisdiction in a contested matter.

(b) The terms "county court" and "probate court" are synonymous and mean:

- (1) a county court in the exercise of its probate jurisdiction;
- (2) a court created by statute and authorized to exercise original probate jurisdiction; and
- (3) a district court exercising probate jurisdiction in a contested matter.

(c) "Statutory probate court" means a court created by statute and designated as a statutory probate court under Chapter 25, Government Code. For purposes of this code, the term does not include a county court at law exercising probate jurisdiction unless the court is designated a statutory probate court under Chapter 25, Government Code.

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