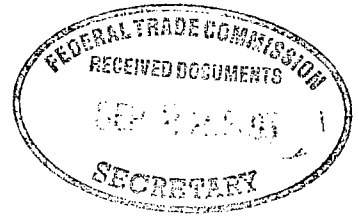


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES



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NORTH TEXAS SPECIALTY PHYSICIANS, )  
Respondent. )  
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Docket No. 9312

**ORDER DESIGNATING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**

Pursuant to authority vested in the Federal Trade Commission and delegated to the Chief Administrative Law Judge,

IT IS ORDERED that D. Michael Chappell, Administrative Law Judge of this Commission, be, and he hereby is, designated and appointed to take testimony and receive evidence in this proceeding and to perform all other duties authorized by law.

  
Stephen J. McGuire  
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Date: September 22, 2003