

## Haggerty Asks Justices To Reconsider Ouster

Criminal District Court Judge Edward A. Haggerty Jr. today asked the Louisiana Supreme Court to reconsider its decision to remove him from the bench for "willful and intentional misconduct."

The application for a rehearing was filed by attorneys for Judge Haggerty today, the deadline for such an appeal. Judge Haggerty was ordered removed from the bench Nov. 23 because

of his arrest in a vice raid at the Motel DeVile last December and other alleged acts of intemperance.

Under the ruling Judge Haggerty would be retired without a pension. If his plea for a rehearing is granted, the high court could consider the question of a pension for the judge.

Judge Haggerty remains on the bench until all appeals are exhausted.