



Chief Justice Kem Frost was appointed to the Fourteenth Court of Appeals of Texas in early 1999 by then-Governor George W. Bush and has been elected three times since. Justice Frost is the longest-serving member of the Fourteenth Court of Appeals. In 2013, Governor Rick Perry elevated her to Chief Justice. Before taking the bench, Chief Justice Frost enjoyed a 15-year civil trial and appellate practice, with an emphasis on complex business litigation.

Justice Frost holds a B.B.A. and B.A. from The University of Texas at Austin, a JD from Texas Tech University School of Law and a LL.M in Judicial Studies from Duke University School of Law.

She is admitted to the State Bar of Texas. While in private practice, Chief Justice Frost received the highest possible peer review rating for professional excellence, skill, and integrity. She was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States, the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, and the United States District Courts for the Northern, Southern, Eastern, and Western Districts of Texas.

