## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS BEAUMONT DIVISION

## DIVISIONAL STANDING ORDER NO. 2024-1 REGARDING COURTHOUSE SECURITY POLICIES

In addition to General Order 18-6 and Divisional Standing Order 2022-6, the following security policies are hereby adopted for the Jack Brooks United States Courthouse in Beaumont, Texas (the Courthouse):

## **Naturalization Ceremonies**

Visitors and guests to the Courthouse who are attending a naturalization ceremony are permitted to bring electronic communication devices, as described in General Order 18-6, for the purposes of documenting the event.

Electronic communication devices may only be used to take photographs in the courtroom in which the ceremony is held and the room where the reception is held.

Photographs of the courthouse security officers and/or the United States Marshals is not allowed.

As stated in General Order 18-6, electronic communication devices may not be used for phone calls in the courtroom and may not otherwise be used in any manner that disrupts or interferes with the ceremony. Ring tones and any other functional sound produced by devices must be disabled while in the courthouse.

Further, the Daughters of the American Revolution and/or any group receiving prior permission from the presiding judge may bring drinks into the Courthouse for the purposes of a post-ceremony reception to be held in the jury assembly room.

So **ORDERED** and **SIGNED**, May 7, 2024.

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U.S. District Judge

Zack J. Hawthorn U.S. Magistrate Judge

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Michael J. Truncale U.S. District Judge

Christine L. Stetson U.S. Magistrate Judge

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