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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

JUN 12 1987

87-9: GENERAL ORDER ASSIGNING
 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL ACTIONS

MURRAY L. HARRIS, CLERK
By *Jay Kordina*
Deputy

In accordance with Title 28, United States Code, Section 137, and the agreement of the judges affected hereby, it is ORDERED that, effective June 30, 1987, the General Orders of July 12, 1985, and January 10, 1986 (both of which relate to the division of civil and criminal actions between the judges of this district), shall be, and they are hereby, set aside.

It is further ORDERED that, effective July 1, 1987, all civil and criminal actions then pending in the several divisions of this district (including the "common docket" in the Beaumont Division), as well as civil and criminal actions which are thereafter filed in such divisions, shall be, and they are hereby, assigned to the individual judges of this district in the proportions listed below, respectively:

BEAUMONT DIVISION

Civil Actions

(a) Actions Alleging Damages from Inhalation of Asbestos or Other Harmful Substances or Fumes:

Judge William Wayne Justice	16.66%
Judge William M. Steger	16.66%
Judge Robert M. Parker	16.66%
Judge Howell Cobb	16.66%

Judge Sam B. Hall, Jr.	16.66%
Judge Joe J. Fisher	16.66%
(b) Actions Relating to Eminent Domain:	
Judge Howell Cobb	50%
Judge Joe J. Fisher	50%
(c) All Other Civil Actions:	
Judge Howell Cobb	40%
Judge Joe J. Fisher	40%
Judge Sam B. Hall, Jr.	20%
<u>Criminal Actions</u>	
Judge Howell Cobb	50%
Judge Joe J. Fisher	50%

It is further ORDERED that all civil actions pending on the common docket of the Beaumont Division as of June 30, 1987, shall be assigned to the affected judges by lot.

MARSHALL DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

Judge Sam B. Hall, Jr.	100%
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PARIS DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

Judge Paul N. Brown	100%
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TEXARKANA DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

Judge Paul N. Brown	100%
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SHERMAN DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

Judge Paul N. Brown 100%

TYLER DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

Judge William Wayne Justice 33 1/3%

Judge William M. Steger 33 1/3%

Judge Robert M. Parker 33 1/3%

LUFKIN DIVISION

Civil and Criminal Actions

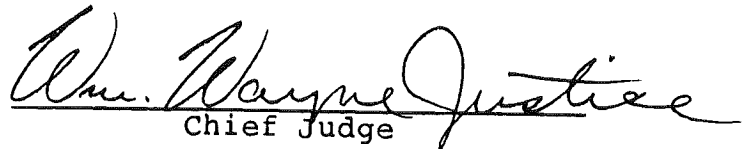
Judge William Wayne Justice 33 1/3%

Judge William M. Steger 33 1/3%

Judge Robert M. Parker 33 1/3%

It is further ORDERED that, on or before June 30, 1987, all judges shall effect such transfers of civil and criminal actions to other judges as shall be necessary to accomplish the division of the caseload set forth above. The actions to be assigned shall be at the discretion of each judge.

SIGNED and ENTERED this 18th day of June, 1987, for the Court.


Chief Judge