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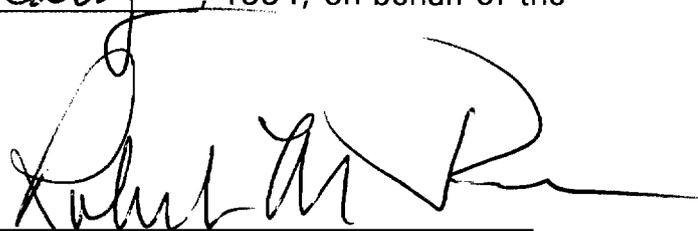
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GENERAL ORDER

It has been brought to the attention of the Court that sanctions are routinely imposed against inmates confined in the Texas prison system and that the inmates are frequently able to avoid the effect of the sanctions when they are transferred to units under the jurisdiction of a different district court. To fully enforce the sanctions, particularly preclusion orders, each district court in Texas should honor the sanctions imposed by a sister district.

Acting by consent of the judges of this Court, it is **ORDERED**, effective immediately, that the Eastern District of Texas will honor the sanctions imposed by another federal district court in this State. Preclusion orders entered in another district court will be enforced in this district according to the terms specified in the order. Similarly, orders prohibiting the filing of any new pleadings until monetary sanctions are paid will be honored according to the terms specified in the order. This Court will duly observe and enforce any and all sanctions imposed by another United States District Court in Texas involving inmates who file pleadings in this district.

SIGNED this 2nd day of February, 1994, on behalf of the Court.



Chief Judge