

GENERAL ORDER NO. 03-24

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

DAVID J. MALAND, CLERK

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*Peggy Thompson*

**GENERAL ORDER ASSIGNING CIVIL AND CRIMINAL ACTIONS**

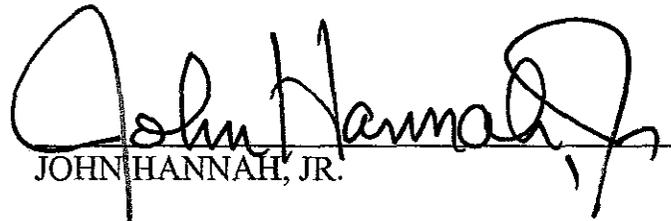
In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 137 and the agreement of the judges affected hereby, it is ORDERED that, effective as of Friday, January 2, 2004, all civil and criminal actions that are filed shall be assigned to individual judges of this district in the proportions listed below:

<b>DISTRICT JUDGE</b>	<b>CASELOAD</b>
CHIEF JUDGE JOHN HANNAH, JR.	Civil = 25% of Tyler, 65% of Lufkin, 10% of Sherman Criminal = 30% of Tyler, 65% of Lufkin, 10% of Sherman
JUDGE RICHARD A. SCHELL	Civil = 58% of Sherman Criminal = Same percentage as civil
JUDGE THAD HEARTFIELD	Civil = 22% of Beaumont, 35% of Lufkin Criminal = Same percentages as civil
JUDGE DAVID FOLSOM	Civil = 90% of Texarkana, 20% of Marshall Criminal = 100% of Texarkana
JUDGE T. JOHN WARD	Civil = 65% of Marshall, 10% of Texarkana Criminal = 100% of Marshall
JUDGE LEONARD DAVIS	Civil = 25% of Tyler, 15% of Marshall, 100% of Paris Criminal = 30% of Tyler, 100% of Paris
JUDGE RON CLARK	Civil = 30% of Beaumont Criminal = Same percentage as civil
JUDGE MARCIA CRONE	Civil = 30% of Beaumont Criminal = Same percentage as civil
SENIOR JUDGE WILLIAM M. STEGER	Civil = 50% of Tyler Criminal = 40% of Tyler
SENIOR JUDGE HOWELL COBB	Civil = 18% of Beaumont Criminal = Same percentage as civil
SENIOR JUDGE PAUL BROWN	Civil = 32% of Sherman Criminal = Same percentage as civil

This order supercedes General Order 03-17 and all previous general orders assigning civil and criminal actions.

Signed this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2003.

**FOR THE COURT:**



Handwritten signature of John Hannah, Jr. in cursive script, written over a horizontal line.

JOHN HANNAH, JR.

Chief Judge