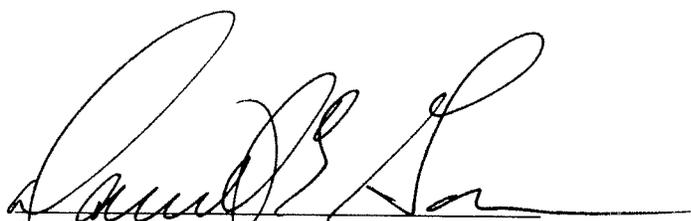


**ORDER REGARDING HURRICANE IKE LITIGATION**

By authority of the Local Administrative Judge for the District of Galveston County and in order to promote Judicial efficiency and in the interest of justice, the District Clerk of Galveston County is ordered to notify Judge Susan Criss of the 212<sup>th</sup> District Court of all filings of cases arising out of events surrounding Hurricane Ike that occurred on September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Judge Susan Criss is assigned to handle all pre-trial matters in these cases. These cases will be tried in the original court where filed.

Signed this 29 day of January, 2009.

  
David E. Garner, Judge  
Local Administrative Judge  
Galveston

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DISTRICT CLERK