

General Order No. 21-18

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

**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 all civil and criminal cases filed shall be assigned to individual judges of this district in the proportions below.

This General Order supersedes all prior General Orders assigning civil and criminal actions.

<b>DISTRICT JUDGE</b>	<b>CASELOAD</b>
CHIEF JUDGE RODNEY GILSTRAP	Marshall Civil = 90% Marshall Criminal = 100% Lufkin Patent = 100% Texarkana Civil = 10%
JUDGE MARCIA CRONE	Beaumont Non-Patent Civil = 30% Beaumont Criminal = 60% Beaumont and Lufkin Capital Murder and Murder Cases = 100%
JUDGE AMOS MAZZANT	Sherman Non-Patent Civil = 50% Sherman Criminal = 50% Sherman Patent = 50%
JUDGE TREY SCHROEDER	Texarkana Civil = 90% Texarkana Criminal = 100% Marshall Civil = 10%
JUDGE JEREMY KERNODLE	Tyler Civil = 50% Tyler Criminal = 50%
JUDGE J. CAMPBELL BARKER	Tyler Civil = 50% Tyler Criminal = 50%
JUDGE MICHAEL J. TRUNCALE	Beaumont Non-Patent Civil = 50% Beaumont Criminal = 10% Beaumont Patent = 100%

JUDGE SEAN JORDAN	Sherman Non-Patent Civil = 50% Sherman Patent = 50% Sherman Criminal = 50%
SENIOR JUDGE THAD HEARTFIELD	Beaumont Non-Patent Civil = 20% Beaumont Criminal = 30%
SENIOR JUDGE RON CLARK	Lufkin Non-Patent Civil = 100% Lufkin Criminal = 100%

**FOR THE COURT, and Effective as of December 10th, 2021:**

  
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RODNEY GILSTRAP  
Chief Judge