

GENERAL ORDER 06-13

**IN THE 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 listed below:

<b>DISTRICT JUDGE</b>	<b>CASELOAD</b>
CHIEF JUDGE THAD HEARTFIELD	Civil = 39% of Beaumont, 35% of Lufkin Criminal = 34% of Beaumont, 50% of Lufkin
JUDGE RICHARD A. SCHELL	Civil = 65% of Sherman Criminal = 40% of Sherman
JUDGE DAVID FOLSOM	Civil = 90% of Texarkana, 20% of Marshall Criminal = 100% of Texarkana
JUDGE T. JOHN WARD	Civil = 70% of Marshall, 10% of Texarkana Criminal = 100% of Marshall
JUDGE LEONARD DAVIS	Civil = 60% of Tyler, 10% of Marshall Criminal = 60% of Tyler
JUDGE RON CLARK	Civil = 27% of Beaumont, 65% of Lufkin Criminal = 33% of Beaumont, 50% of Lufkin
JUDGE MARCIA CRONE	Civil = 34% of Beaumont Criminal = 33% of Beaumont, 40% of Sherman
JUDGE MICHAEL SCHNEIDER	Civil = 40% of Tyler, 35% of Sherman Criminal = 40% of Tyler, 20% of Sherman

It is hereby ORDERED that the portion of this order relating to the Sherman caseload will become effective November 10, 2006. All other terms of order are effective August 21, 2006. This order supercedes General Order 06-12 and all previous general orders assigning civil and criminal actions.

Signed this 18 day of August, 2006.

**FOR THE COURT:**

  
THAD HEARTFIELD  
Chief Judge