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July 27, 2022

CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MIDLAND/ODESSA AND PECOS DIVISIONS**

BY: JA  
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**IN RE:** §  
**COURT DOCKET MANAGEMENT** §

**STANDING ORDER ON CASE MANAGEMENT**

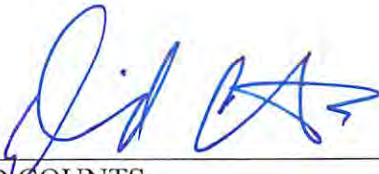
In accordance with the authority vested in the United States Magistrate Judges pursuant to Rule 1 of the Local Rules for the Assignment of Duties to United States Magistrate Judges, Appendix C of the Local Court Rules of the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the following matters shall be referred to the U.S. Magistrate Judges for the Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions:

All civil actions originally filed, removed to, or otherwise transferred to the Western District of Texas, Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions, respectively.

The following cases are excluded from direct assignment to the Magistrate Judges: habeas corpus petitions in the Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions, bankruptcy appeals in the Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions, patent cases in the Midland/Odessa and Pecos Divisions, and prisoner civil rights actions in the Midland/Odessa Division.

It is so **ORDERED**.

**SIGNED** this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022.

  
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DAVID COUNTS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE