

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

IN RE:

ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT TO
LOCAL RULE 5.1

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GENERAL ORDER NO. 2007-3


ORDER

The Court earlier proposed amending Local Rule of Civil Procedure 5.1 to require electronic filing. The proposed amendment having now been approved by the Judicial Council of the Fifth Circuit, through its Rules Committee, the Court adopts the amendment of Local Rule of Civil Procedure 5.1, as follows:

LR 5.1 **Electronic Filing.** Except as expressly provided or unless permitted by the presiding Judge, the Court will accept for requires filing documents being filed to be submitted, signed or verified by electronic means that comply with the procedures established by the Court. The notice of electronic filing that is automatically generated by the Court's electronic filing system constitutes service of the document on those registered as filing users of the system.

This amendment is effective March 12, 2007.

Signed at Corpus Christi, Texas this 6 day of March, 2007.


HAYDEN HEAD
CHIEF JUDGE