

CAUSE NO. 03-1981-G

BARRY L. HOUSH, ET AL

VS.

UNION CARBIDE CORPORATON, et al.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT

319th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NUECES COUNTY, TEXAS

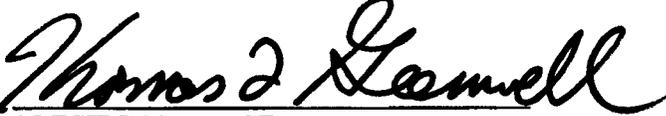
**ORDER ON MOTION TO PERMIT SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS BY
THIRD PARTY ADMINISTRATOR**

On this day the Court having considered Defendant, Union Carbide Corporation's Motion to Permit Service of Documents by a Third Party Administrator, and after having heard any objections to the proposed changes;

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that effective 2/25/05, all parties that have appeared in the above cases shall serve any and all pleadings, motions or any other document requiring service using LexisNexis File & Serve. E-service shall be the only method of service considered as valid and effective on all designated recipients pursuant to Texas Rules of Civil Procedure 21 and 21 (a). Every pleading, document and instrument served electronically shall bear a facsimile or typographical signature of at least one of the attorneys of record, along with the typed name, address, telephone number and State Bar of Texas number of said attorney. Typographical signatures shall be treated exactly as personal signatures for purposes of electronically served documents under the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

Pending further Order on electronic filing, this Order shall apply only to the electronic service of documents upon other counsel. Counsel or parties filing documents with the Court shall do so manually with the Clerk of the Court following existing filing procedures.

SIGNED AND ENTERED this 25 day of February, 2005.


PRESIDING JUDGE