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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Special Order No. 2-57

By Special Order No. 2-56, the District Judges of this Court have considered and adopted amendments to the local civil rules and local criminal rules of this Court. These amendments amend local civil rules 7.1(c), 7.1(h), 7.1(i), 9.1(a), 56.6(b)(1), and 83.8(e), and local criminal rule 57.8(e), and repeal local civil rules 4.2, 80.1, 83.5, 83.8(c), and 83.15, and local criminal rules 57.5, 57.6, 57.8(c), and 57.15.

Following receipt of public comment, the Court has determined to amend the local civil rules and the local criminal rules in the manner set forth in the attachment to Special Order No. 2-56, with the following exception: local civil rule 7.1(i)(2) is further amended as follows (changes to the current rule are redlined):

> The appendix must be assembled as a self-contained document, separate from the motion, response, reply, and brief.

The amendments shall take effect on September 1, 2004 and shall apply to all proceedings in civil and criminal actions thereafter commenced and, insofar as just and practicable, all proceedings in civil and criminal actions then pending.

4. The Clerk of Court is directed to make the necessary distribution.

SO ORDERED.

July 21, 2004.

FOR THE COURT:

A. JOE FISH, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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