

THIRD CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEAL

STATE OF LOUISIANA

ORDER

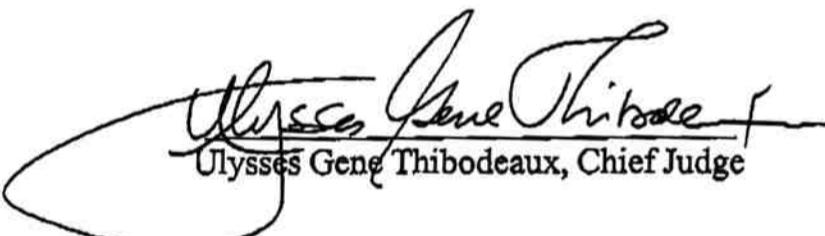
Acting in accordance with La. Const. art. 5 §1, La.R.S. 1:55(E)(2), all pertinent legislation hereto, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the emergency created by Hurricane Rita and its devastating aftermath:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

The Third Circuit Court of Appeal shall be closed from September 23, 2005 through October 14, 2005, unless extended by order of this Court. All filings due during this period of closure shall be deemed timely filed if filed within 10 business days of the resumption of normal Court operations which shall be posted on its website at www.la3circuit.org. This closure shall serve as an exception to the Human Resource Management Manual for the Third Circuit Court of Appeal. This closure shall not affect this court's administration of emergency matters.

Lafayette, Louisiana, this 27th day of September, 2005.

FOR THE COURT:


Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux, Chief Judge


Charles K. McNeely, Clerk of Court
By Judge 
duly Authorized