

### Sample Order Regarding Publicity

It is hereby ORDERED that the attorneys for the State of Texas, their representatives and agents, the defendant, Cedric Lamont Ransom, and his counsel and representatives shall not make any extra-judicial statement concerning this case or any of the events of November 11, 1992 to any person associated with a public communications media, or that a reasonable person would expect to be communicated to a public communications media, except that nothing in this order shall prohibit any individual from:

- a. “stating without elaboration or characterization”
  - (1) the general nature of an allegation or defense
  - (2) information contained in a public record
  - (3) the scheduling or result of any step in the proceedings; or
- b. explaining without characterization the contents or substance of any motion or step in the proceedings to the extent that such motion or step is a matter of public record.

This ORDER is required because the jury chosen in this case is not sequestered. Trial is to begin on November 30, 1992, at the request of the newly appointed defense counsel, after the defendant’s original counsel was allowed to withdraw because of conflict with the defendant, the conflict being caused by the defendant, Cedric Lamont Ransom’s actions by November 11, 1992.

This ORDER shall remain in effect until the conclusion of the trial scheduled to begin November 30, 1992. The clerk is directed to prepare a copy of this order and immediately deliver to all the parties.

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JUDGE