

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

DALE HYDE,

Plaintiff,

versus

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL
JUSTICE,

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION H-94-2987

United States Courts
Southern District of Texas
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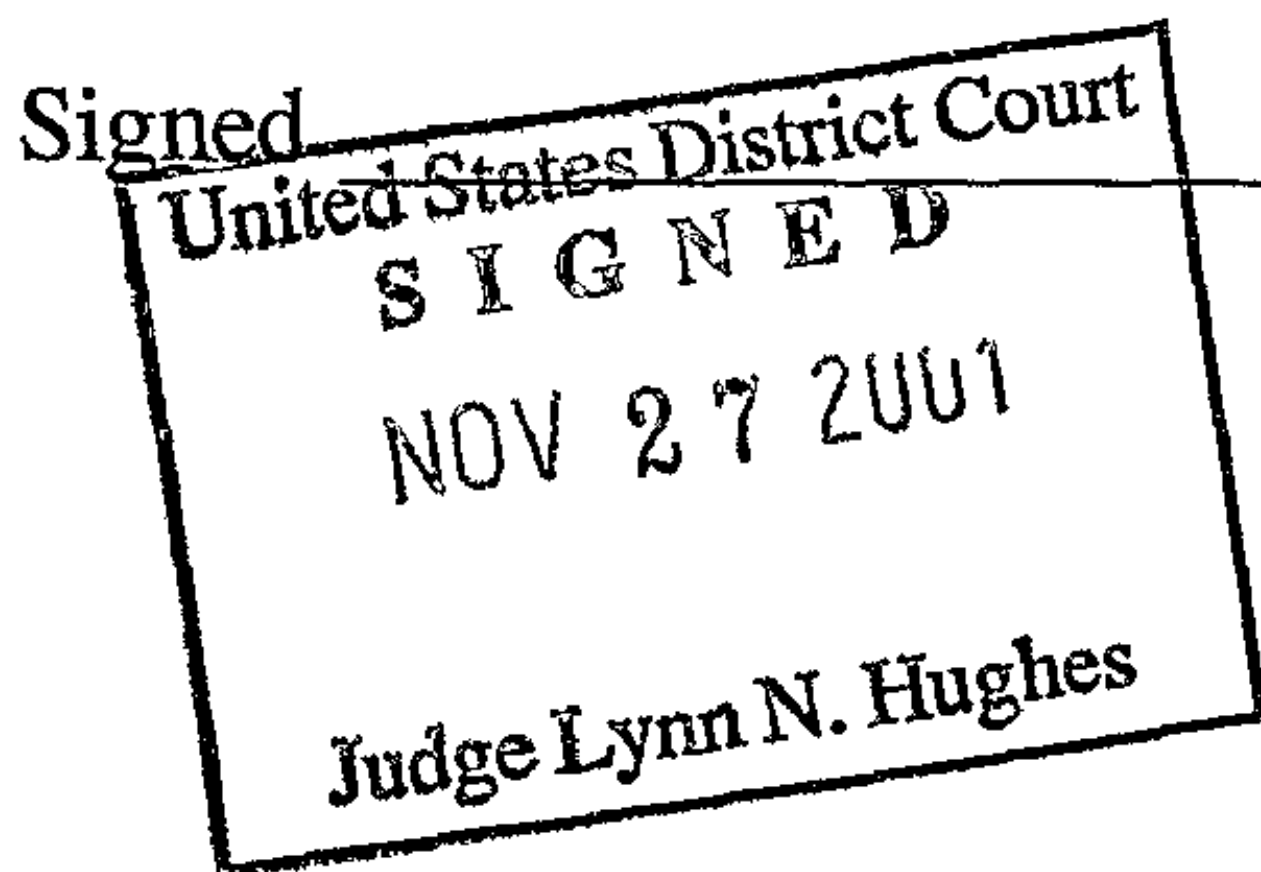
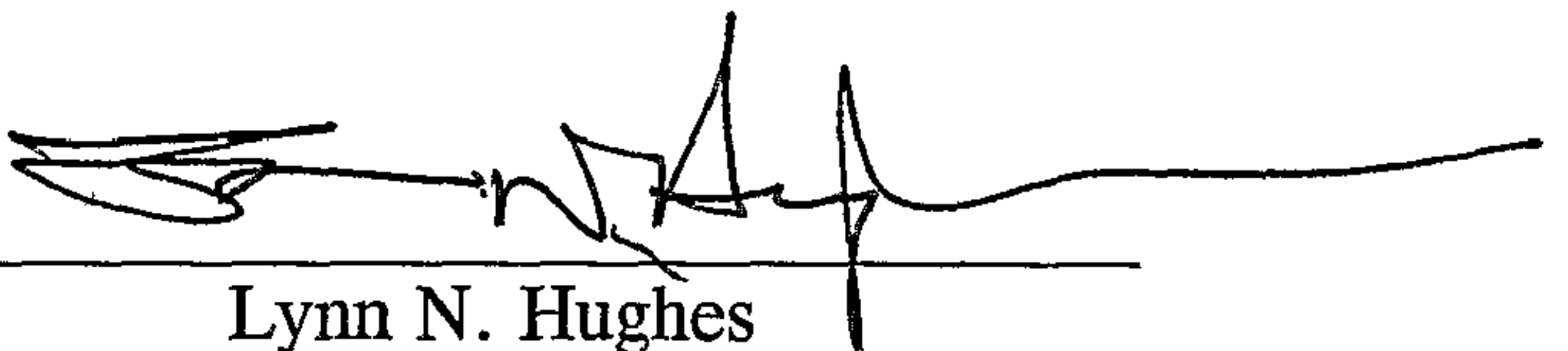
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Opinion

Michael N. Milby, Clerk of Court

Prisoner Owen Gordy moves for contempt of court against a prison chaplain for violating this court's 1996 final judgment about religious meetings. Gordy says that a prison chaplain will not allow meetings of Jehovah's Witnesses without an outside volunteer. It is not clear from Gordy's statements whether the chaplain has violated this court's order. For example, if Jehovah's Witnesses outside volunteers are always readily available, there may not be a violation.

Signed _____, 2001, at Houston, Texas.



 Lynn N. Hughes
 United States District Judge

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