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TRANSCRIPT ORDER

District Court <u>Southern District of Texas, Houston Division</u>	District Court Docket Number <u>4:07-CV-00784</u>
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Short Case Title Smith v. Abandoned Vessel Court Reporter _____
 Date Notice of Appeal Filed by Clerk of District Court 3/24/09 Court of Appeals # 09-20206
 (If Available)

PART I. (To be completed by party ordering transcript. Do not complete this form unless financial arrangements have been made.)

A. Complete one of the following:

- No hearings
- Transcript is unnecessary for appeal purposes
- Transcript is already on file in Clerk's office (Dkt. no. 87 & 88)
- This is to order a transcript of the following proceedings: (check appropriate box)
 - Voir dire ; Opening statement of plaintiff defendant ;
 - Closing argument of plaintiff defendant ; Opinion of court ;
 - Jury instructions ; Sentencing ; Bail hearing ;

HEARING DATE(S)	PROCEEDING	JUDGE/MAGISTRATE

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B. This is to certify that satisfactory financial arrangements have been completed with the court reporter at the cost of the transcript. The method of payment will be:

- Private funds; Criminal Justice Act Funds (Attach copy of CJA Form 24 to court reporter's copy); Other IFP Funds;
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- Other Previously paid in full.

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Southern District of Texas
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Signature _____ Date Transcript Ordered _____
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PART II. COURT REPORTER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT (To be completed by the Court Reporter and forwarded to the Court of Appeals within 7 days after receipt. Read instructions on reverse side of copy 4 before completing).

Date transcript order received	If arrangements are not yet made, date contact made with ordering party re: financial arrangements	Estimated completion date *	Estimated number of pages

- Satisfactory Arrangements for payment were made on _____
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 Address of Court Reporter: _____
 * Do not include an estimated completion date unless satisfactory financial arrangements have been made or waived.

PART III. NOTIFICATION THAT TRANSCRIPT HAS BEEN FILED IN THE DISTRICT COURT (To be completed by court reporter on date of filing transcript in District Court and notification must be forwarded to Court of Appeals on the same date).

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