

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Harris

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF TEXAS
OR OTHER AUTHORIZED PERSON

TO Gilberto Gutierrez Grijalva and Arely Guadalupe Cuen Garcia
AND TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, RESPONDENT(S)

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If You or your attorney do not file a written answer with the Clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this citation and Amended Petition in Suit Affecting the Parent-Child Relationship, a default judgment may be taken against you. The Petition of **CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE DIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON**, was filed in the 310th District Court of Harris County, Texas, on the 20th day of January, 2026 Against Respondent, Gilberto Gutierrez Grijalva and Arely Guadalupe Cuen Garcia numbered, 2025-94506 and entitled "In the Interest of" Gilberto Gutierrez Cuen A child (or children).

The suit requests

Amended Petition in Suit Affecting the Parent-Child Relationship

The date and place of birth of the child (children) who is (are) subject of the suit
Gilberto Gutierrez Cuen, Male; DOB: September 11, 2009; PLACE OF BIRTH: Agua Prieta, Sonora
(Mexico.)

"THE COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN THIS SUIT TO ENTER ANY JUDGMENT OR DECREE IN THE CHILD'S (CHILDREN'S) INTEREST WHICH WILL BE BINDING UPON YOU INCLUDING THE TERMINATION OF THE PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP, THE DETERMINATION OF PATERNITY AND THE APPOINTMENT OF A CONSERVATOR WITH AUTHORITY TO CONSENT TO THE CHILD'S (CHILDREN'S) ADOPTION."

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT AT HOUSTON TEXAS ON
THIS THE 17th Day of June, 2026.

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CAUSE NO. 2025-94506

IN THE INTEREST OF	§	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
	§	
GILBERTO GUTIERREZ CUEN,	§	310th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
	§	
A MINOR CHILD	§	HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

PETITION IN SUIT AFFECTING THE PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP

1. *Discovery Level*

Discovery in this case is intended to be conducted under level 2 of the rule 190 of the Texas Rule of Civil Procedure.

2. *Petitioner*

This suit is brought by CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE DIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON (hereinafter referred to as "Catholic Charities"). Petitioner, a licensed child-placing agency and is authorized to have the care and control of the child subject of this suit.

Catholic Charities has standing to bring this suit pursuant to §102.003(7) of the Texas Family Code in that it has been designed as an appropriate licensed child-placing agency to take possession of and care for the Child under the UNACCOMPANIED REFUGEE MINOR PROGRAM OF THE U.S. REFUGEE PROGRAM administered by the U.S. Department of Health and Health Services.

3. *Jurisdiction*

The Court has jurisdiction to make a child custody determination in this case under §152.201 of the Texas Family Code.

4. *Child*

The following child is the subject of this suit:

Name: **GILBERTO GUTIERREZ CUEN**
Sex: **Male**

Birth date: September 11, 2009

5. *Person Not/ Person Entitled to Citation or Notice*

The child subject of this suit is a Mexican entrant, as defined by section 400.42(a)(4) of Chapter 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations. As such, the child was approved for placement in the Unaccompanied Refugee Minor Program November 26, 2025. A true and correct copy of the letter from Administration for Children & Families of the Federal Department of Health and Human Services confirming the child's acceptance in the program is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all intents and purposes as **Exhibit "1"**.

Federal Law Prohibits contacting or attempting to contact the natural parents of a child admitted into the Unaccompanied Refugee Minor Program in their native country since such contact could endanger the parents. 45 CFR §400.115(b). As such no service is necessary on the parents at this time.

Information required by section 152.209 of the Texas Family Code regarding the child's whereabouts the last five years is provided in the affidavit attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as **Exhibit "2"**.

In the alternative if the court believes tht the parents are entitled to service the persons listed below shall be served as described:

Name: Gilberto Gutierrez Grijalva
Relationship: Father
Process should be served: Mexico; Or wherever she may be found.

Name: Arcely Guadalupe Cuen Garcia
Relationship: Mother
Process should be served: Mexico; Or wherever she may be found.

6. Request for Temporary Orders

Petitioner requests the Court, after notice and hearing, to make temporary orders for the safety and welfare of the child, including but not limited to the following:

Orders appointing the Petitioner as temporary sole conservator of the child.
establishing a temporary possession and access schedule.

Ordering a pretrial conference to simplify the issues in this case and determine the stipulations of the parties and for any other matters the Court deems appropriate.

7. Authority for Petitioner to be Granted Conservatorship

The child subject of this suit was approved for benefits under the Refugee Resettlement Program as a Honduran entrant, as defined by section 400.42(a)(4) of Chapter 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations. A true and correct copy of the letter affirming the same is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as **Exhibit "1"**. Additionally, a true and correct copy of the applicable 45 CFR Part 400 authorizing appropriate State or private agency to provide service for unaccompanied minors seeking asylum in the United States is attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "3"**. Petitioners request this Court to take judicial notice of said Federal Law and its application.

8. Property

No property of consequence is owned or possessed by the child subject of this suit.

9. Conservatorship

There is no other person other than Catholic Charities able or willing to care for the child in the United States. It is in the best interest of the child that Catholic Charities be appointed sole managing conservator of the child pursuant to Texas Family Code §153.005, together with all rights and duties pertaining thereto pursuant to §153.132 of the Texas Family Code.

10. Prayer

Petitioner, Catholic Charities, prays that citation and notice be issued as required by law and that the Court enter its orders in accordance with the allegations contained in this petition in Suit Affecting the Parent Child Relationship.

Petitioner, Catholic Charities, prays for such others and further refiled, both general and specific and equitable, to which it may show itself to be justly entitled.

Respectfully Submitted.

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EXHIBIT 1



ADMINISTRATION FOR **CHILDREN & FAMILIES**

Office of Refugee Resettlement | 330 C Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20001
www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/orr

November 26, 2025

Re: Gilberto Gutierrez Cuen
A# 249-322-013

Dear Gilberto:

This letter is to inform you that based on information received by the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), you have been approved for placement and services in the Texas Unaccompanied Refugee Minors (URM) Program through Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Galveston-Houston, effective immediately. You have been determined to be a victim of human trafficking and are therefore eligible for benefits and services in the URM Program.

URM support for you begins on the date of this URM approval letter or the date of initial placement with Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Galveston-Houston. If you have any questions, please contact the ORR URM Program at urmprogram@acf.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Miro Marinovich

Miro Marinovich
Deputy Director
Refugee Program Bureau
Office of Refugee Resettlement

cc: Ruby Benavides, Federal Field Specialist

EXHIBIT 2

CAUSE NO. _____

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AFFIDAVIT FOR RESPONDENT INFORMATION

Elisa Argueta appeared in person before me today and stated under oath:

"My name is Elisa Argueta, I am above the age of eighteen years, and I am fully competent to make this affidavit. The facts stated in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.

"I am a legal representation of the Petitioner, Catholic Charities in this case

"The child, GILBERTO GUTIERREZ CUEN, is presently placed in the care of Catholic Charities in a licensed foster home in the vicinity of Houston, Texas.

"For the past five years immediately preceding the date of the affidavit, the child has lived in the following cities:

1. Mexico: (Birth-09/11/2009)- 01/12/2024
2. Travel to the United States: 01/12/2024-01/13/2024
3. Border Patrol: Nogales, AZ: 01/13/2024
4. A New Leaf Dorothy Mitchell-Mesa, AZ: 01/14/2024-05/24/2024
5. Mexico: 05/24/2024-09/12/2024 (Voluntary Departure)
6. Travel to the United States: 09/12/2024-09/13/2024
7. Border Patrol-Nogales, AZ: 09/13/2024
8. Heartland Beverly-Chicago, Illinois: 09/14/2024-12/23/2024
9. Heartland International Children's Center-Chicago, Illinois: 12/23/2024-07/30/2025
10. Children's Village Therapeutic Group Home-Dobbs Ferry, NJ: 07/30/2025-09/29/2025
11. Children's Village Shelter-Dobbs Ferry, NJ: 09/29/2025-10/08/2025
12. VisionQuest National LTFC-Tucson, AZ: 10/08/2025-12/08/2025

13. Catholic Charities-Houston, TX: 12/08/2025-present

"Catholic Charities has not participated, as a party or as a witness or in any other capacity, in any other proceeding concerning the custody of a visitation with the child in Texas or any other state.

"Catholic Charities is not aware of any person not a party to the proceeding who has physical custody of this child or claims rights of legal custody or physical custody of, or visitation with the child.

"Catholic Charities is not aware of any other proceeding that could affect this proceeding, including proceedings for enforcement and proceeding relating to domestic violence, protective orders, termination of parental rights, and adoptions.


Elise Argueta Alcantar

SWORN under oath before me on December 11, 2025




Notary Public

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Daniella Gonzalez on behalf of Daniella Gonzalez

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