## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

United States Courts Southern District of Texas ENTERED

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	8
	§
v.	§
JEFFREY K. SKILLING, and	§
KENNETH L. LAY,	§
	§

Defendants.

Cr. No. H-04-25 (Lake, J.)

## ORDER

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Having considered the Government's Motion for Authorization to Establish Procedures to Provide Notice to Victims Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3771, the Court finds (1) that the number of victims in this case makes it impracticable to accord all of the victims the right to individual notice guaranteed in 18 U.S.C. § 3771(a)(2); (2) that, accordingly, the "multiple victims" provision of 18 U.S.C. § 3771(d)(2) applies to this case; (3) the means of notifying victims set forth in the Government's Motion for Authorization to Establish Procedures to Provide Notice to Victims constitutes a "reasonable procedure" to give effect to the notice provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 3771(a)(2).

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

The government is authorized to comply with 18 U.S.C. § 3771(a)(2) and give notice of court proceedings to potential victims in this case by posting notice on the Department of Justice website and by giving notice to lead counsel in the class action lawsuit, *Newby et al. v. Enron Corp. et al.*, Civil Action No. H-01-3624.

DATED: JAN. 31, 2006

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HON\_SIM LAKE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE