

Litigation (Judicial and Administrative)

Title of Action: Dorothy Bell v. Union Carbide Corporation, et al.

Forum (Court or Agency): United States District Court for the Southern
District of Texas, Galveston Division

Docket Number: C. A. - G-83-48

Date Filed: 4/12/84 **Date Served:** 4/30/84 **Date Rec'd.** 5/3/84

Unfavorable outcome is: possible: ☒ probable: ☐ remote: ☐

Nature of Action:

-Alleged Cause of Action: The surviving wife of a man who allegedly worked for Union Carbide from 1955 until 1981 has filed a lawsuit against Union Carbide and others (Dow, PPG, Stauffer & Diamond Shamrock) primarily alleging failure to provide a safe place to work and failure to warn that exposure to vinyl chloride could cause brain cancer (glioblastoma). Union Carbide is sued as

-Damages Claimed: \$1,000,000 punitive; but is not seeking actual damages from UCC the employer and as a supplier of vinyl chloride. The other

-Other Relief Sought: None because of the Texas Workmen Compensation Laws. defendants are sued only as suppliers.

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-Settled: Date: _____ Terms: _____

-Trial Verdict: Date: _____ Terms: _____

-Appealed: Yes: _____ No: _____

-Appeal: Verdict Sustained: _____ Reversed: _____ Date: _____
Terms: _____

-Further Appeal: Prior Appeal Decision Sustained: _____ Reversed: _____

Insurance Coverage: Kemper

UCC Trial Counsel: Baker & Botts

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