CITATION BY PUBLICATION - TRC 109 & 114 Cause No .2025-08-25780CV THE STATE OF TEXAS: IN THE 25TH DISTRICT COURT LOAN PHAM OF VS TRUONG QUOC DUONG D/B/A LAVACA COUNTY, TEXAS JD ENGINEERING SERVICES TO: Truong Quoc Duong D/B/A JD Engineering Services. NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: "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 am on the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after the date you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. In addition to filing a written answer with the clerk, you may be required to make initial disclosures to the other parties of this suit. These disclosures generally must be made no later than 30 days after you file your answer with the clerk. Find out more at TexasLawHelp.org." You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL PETITION at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation before the Honorable District Court of Lavaca County, at the Courthouse in said County in Hallettsville, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Original Petition was filed in said court on the 8th day of August 2025 in the above entitled cause. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Original Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Hallettsville, Texas this 25th day of September 2025. Attorney for Plaintiff or Plaintiff Clerk of the Court: Lori A. Wenske Pete Mai P. Q. Box 306 9999 Bellaire, Suite 508 Hallettsville, Lavaca County, Texas 77964 Houston, Texas 77036 Adrienne Pargmann, Debuty Clerk OFFICER'S RETURN FOR PUBLICATION Came to hand on the 26th day of September 2025 at 10:10 o'clock 4. M and executed this citation on the 26hday of September, 2025, by Publication a true copy of the citation and order attached, by publication on the website of Lavaca County, Texas and The Office of Court Administration by publication and Court Notices Website.

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v.	§	LAVACA COUNTY, TEXAS
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TRUONG QUOC DUONG d/b/a JD	§	
ENGINEERING SERVICES,	§	
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DEFENDANT.	§	25th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR SUBSTITUTE SERVICE

ON THIS DAY, the Court considered Plaintiff Loan Pham's Motion for Substitute Service. It appears that Plaintiff has attempted but failed to personally serve the Defendant, Truong Quoc Duong d/b/a JD Engineering Services, despite Plaintiff's due diligence and that the substituted service requested in Plaintiff's motion will be reasonably effective to give Defendant notice of the suit.

The Court therefore **GRANTS** the motion and authorizes substituted service by publication on the website of Lavaca County, Texas and The Office of Court Administration by Publication and Court Notices Website and by email to truongduong@sbcglobal.net.

SIGNED this 17 day of Systember, 2025.

JUDGE PRESIDING

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Lori A. Wenske, Clerk
DISTRICT COURT LAWACA COUNTY, TX
By Manua Deputy
Deputy

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