## **Workers Compensation Claim against Home Owner**

The trial of Gloria Landry (*maid*) vs. R.F. DuBois Jr. (*homeowner*) ...in Judge Bob Wortham's 58th District Court.

Landry, who worked as a housekeeper for DuBois for nearly two decades, sued him back in 2006 after she tripped while taking out the trash. (Yes, the maid who is "part of your family" will not hesitate to sue you.)

While taking the garbage to the street, Landry tripped on the concrete crack. She fell forward on her face, sustaining bruises both above and below the eye and on her chin, and bruised her leg, the suit said.... ... "Landry continued to attempt to work at her various places of employment because she needed the wages," the suit said. "It became extremely difficult. The pain caused by the injuries of June 8, 2005, increased."

"Landry was an employee of DuBois (homeowner)," the suit said (since she was <u>not a W-2 employee</u> of the maid service company, the maid is considered an employee of the homeowner). Landry was injured in the course and scope of her employment with DuBois. DuBois <u>does not carry workers</u> compensation insurance coverage."

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CONCLUSION: If your maids are NOT a "W-2 employee" of the maid service, then they are NOT COVERED by "workers compensation insurance" and YOU, the homeowner can be sued.