

SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 24-025

IN RE JANUARY 16, 2024

Order Delivered January 12, 2024

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF
JUDGE, THIRTY-NINTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT, COLUMBIA
COUNTY DISTRICT COURT,
MAGNOLIA DEPARTMENT,
COLUMBIA COUNTY, ARKANSAS

GRANTED.

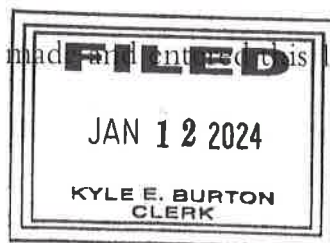
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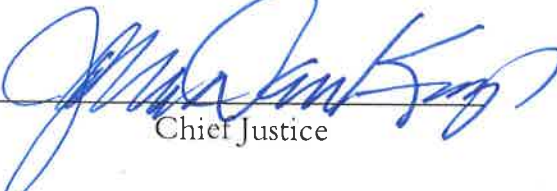
Under Section 13C of Amendment 80 of the Arkansas Constitution, a special judge may be assigned if the Chief Justice shall determine “there is other need for a Special Judge to be temporarily appointed.” Therefore, under the authority vested in the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Arkansas by Act 496 of 1965 as amended, and Ark. Const. Amend. 80, and because the Chief Justice has determined there is “other need for a Special Judge to be temporarily appointed,” the Hon. Jack Barker, 35th Judicial District Court, Union County District Court, is hereby assigned to the Columbia County District Court, Magnolia Department, to sit on the following date:

January 16, 2024 (afternoon only)

The assignment of Judge Barker to the Columbia County District Court, Magnolia Department, entails only additional duties, and jurisdiction in the Union County District Court, shall remain in Judge Barker to the same extent as though this assignment had not been made.

This order made and entered on this 12th day of January 2024.




Chief Justice