

# SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 24-579

IN RE OCTOBER 7, 14, 16, 22-23, AND  
28-30, 2024

Order Delivered September 30, 2024

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF  
JUDGE, SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT, FRANKLIN COUNTY  
DISTRICT COURT, OZARK  
DEPARTMENT, AND JOHNSON  
COUNTY DISTRICT COURT,  
CLARKSVILLE DEPARTMENT,  
FRANKLIN COUNTY AND JOHNSON  
COUNTY, ARKANSAS

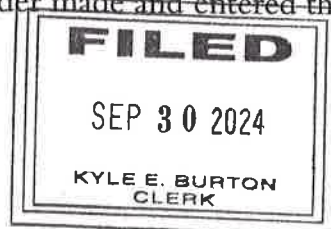
GRANTED.

## ORDER

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. Fred Kirkpatrick, Retired District Court Judge, is hereby assigned to the Franklin County District Court, Ozark Department, and Johnson County District Court, Clarksville Department, to sit on the following dates:

October 7 & 14, 2024 in Ozark  
October 16, 22, and 23, 2024 in Clarksville  
October 28, 2024 in Ozark  
October 29 and 30, 2024 in Clarksville

This order made and entered this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 2024.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Fred Kirkpatrick".

Chief Justice