

SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 25-219

SARAH MOORE, INDIVIDUALLY AND
AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF
ARKANSAS JUSTICE REFORM
COALITION AND THE LIBERTY
INITIATIVE, INC. D/B/A ARKANSAS
JUSTICE REFORM COALITION, AN
ARKANSAS NON-PROFIT
CORPORATION

PLAINTIFFS

VS.

PATRICK DEAKINS, IN HIS OFFICIAL
CAPACITY AS WASHINGTON
COUNTY JUDGE AND AS
WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS
AND RETURNING HOME, INC. AN
ARKANSAS NON-PROFIT
CORPORATION

DEFENDANTS

Order Delivered May 1, 2025

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF
JUDGE, FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS
CASE NO. 72CV-25-1761

GRANTED.

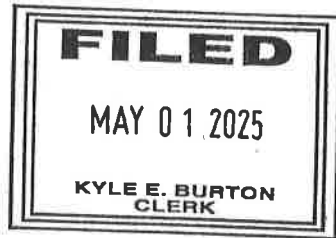
ORDER

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 pursuant to the written request of the Washington County Circuit Clerk, the Hon. Mark Hewett (Bar #77063), Retired Circuit Judge, is hereby assigned to the 4th Judicial Circuit to hear the following case:

Sarah Moore, Individually and as Executive Director of the Arkansas Justice Reform Coalition and The Liberty Initiative, Inc. d/b/a Arkansas Justice Reform Coalition, an Arkansas Non-Profit Corporation v. Patrick Deakins, in his official capacity as Washington County Judge and Washington County, Arkansas and Returning Home, Inc., an Arkansas Non-Profit Corporation
Washington County Circuit Court Case No. 72CV-25-1761

This assignment includes all ancillary proceedings which may arise in connection with said cause, and proceedings subsequent thereto shall be held at such time or times as shall be directed and ordered by Judge Hewett.

This order made and entered this 1st day of May 2025.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Karen R. Baker".

Chief Justice