

SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 26-442

MATTHEW MAYDEN

PLAINTIFF

VS.

JUSTINE HOGUE

DEFENDANT

Order Delivered July 22, 2026

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE,
FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, JOHNSON
COUNTY, ARKANSAS
CASE NO. 36DR-26-102

GRANTED.

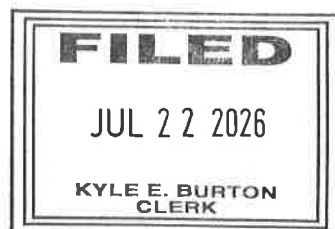
ORDER

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. Ralph Wilson (Bar #75142), Retired Circuit Judge, is hereby assigned to the 5th Judicial Circuit to hear the following case:

Matthew Mayden v. Justine Hogue
Johnson County Circuit Court Case No. 36DR-26-102

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 Wilson.

This order made and entered this 22nd day of July 2026.




Chief Justice