SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 24-162

IN RE FEBRUARY 13, 2024

Order Delivered February 12, 2024

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE, THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, CLEBURNE COUNTY DISTRICT COURT, HEBER SPRINGS DEPARTMENT, CLEBURNE 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 Cleburne County District Court, Heber Springs Department, to sit on the following date:

February 13, 2024

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

FEB 1 2 2024

KYLE E. BURTON CLERK

Chief Justice