

**AMENDMENT
TO
ADMINISTRATIVE PLAN
FOR THE
NINETEENTH-EAST (19-E) JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 18
REFERRALS FROM CIRCUIT COURT TO STATE DISTRICT JUDGE**

Has the circuit court referred matters pursuant to Administrative Order No. 18 to be heard by a state district judge?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Participating State District Judges ----- Assignment and Allocation of Cases

The state district judges participating in referrals from the circuit court include:

<u>Name</u>	<u>District Court Judicial District</u>	<u>Assignment and Allocation of Cases</u>
Judge Dale Ramsey	3 rd District	100% of Referrals to State District Judge

Matters Subject to Reference

The following matters are referred from circuit court to state district court and have been included in the administrative plan for the circuit court and the administrative plan for the district court:

☐ **Consent Jurisdiction.** Upon the consent of all parties and approval by the circuit judge originally assigned, the following types of cases are referred from circuit court:

- ☐ Civil
- ☐ Domestic Relations
- ☐ Probate

☐ **Protective Orders.**

☐ **Forcible Entry and Detainers / Unlawful Detainer.**

☐ **Other Matters of an Emergency or Uncontested Nature Pending in Civil, Domestic Relations or Probate Division.** *Please provide detailed information*

regarding the types of matters that will be referred and where these matters will be heard below.

Type of Other Matters _____ Location _____

- ☐ **Other Matters, if Justification for the Reference and Procedures to be Employed are Sufficiently Demonstrated in the Circuit Court Administration Plan Pursuant to Administrative Order No. 14.** Please provide detailed information regarding the types of matters that will be referred and where these matters will be heard below.

Type of Other Matters _____ Location _____

- ☒ **Criminal.** The following duties are referred with respect to an investigation or prosecution of an offense lying within the exclusive jurisdiction of the circuit court:

- ☒ Issue Search Warrant Pursuant to Rule 13.1
- ☒ Issue Arrest Warrant Pursuant to Rule 7.1 or A.C.A. §16-81-104
- ☒ Issue Summons Pursuant to Rule 6.1
- ☒ Reasonable Cause Determinations Pursuant to Rule 4.1 (e)
- ☒ Conduct First Appearance Pursuant to Rule 8.1
- ☒ Appoint Counsel Pursuant to Rule 8.2
- ☒ Inform Defendant Pursuant to Rule 8.3
- ☐ Accept Plea of "Not Guilty" or "Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity"
- ☒ Conduct Pretrial Release Inquiry Pursuant to Rules 8.4 and 8.5
- ☒ Release Defendant from Custody Pursuant to Rules 9.1, 9.2 and 9.3
- ☒ Conduct Preliminary Hearing Pursuant to A.C.A. §16-93-307

Digital Audio Recording Equipment

Is digital audio recording equipment utilized to make a verbatim record of matters referred from the circuit court?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Specialty Court Dockets or Programs

Does a district court judge preside over a circuit court specialty court program?

☐ Yes

☒ No

The following specialty courts are conducted:

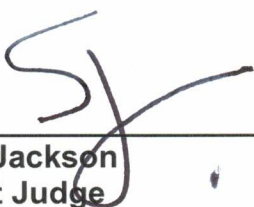
Type of Specialty Court	Location
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Not Applicable.

- Type of specialty docket and description of its operation:
- Statutory or legal authority on which it is based:
- Certification of compliance with all applicable sentencing laws, including assessment, collection and remittance of fines, fees, court costs, probation fees.
- Use of court resources. *[Describe the court team including prosecuting attorneys, public defenders, and health professionals; that each has been consulted in setting up the program and its operation; scheduling has been coordinated; and the necessary resources are available.]*
- Sources of funding:

Effective Date

The amendment shall be effective upon approval by the Arkansas Supreme Court.



Scott Jackson
Circuit Judge

Dated: 3-31-26