SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 22-064

Order Delivered February 2, 2022

IN RE CONFLICT CASES

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE, ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, RANDOLPH COUNTY DISTRICT COURT, POCAHONTAS DEPARTMENT, RANDOLPH COUNTY, ARKANSAS

GRANTED.

ORDER

Under the authority vested in the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Arkansas by Act 496 of 1965, as amended, Amendment 80 of the Arkansas Constitution, and Section 1 of Supreme Court Administrative Order No. 16, as amended, and in response to the written request of the Randolph County District Court Clerk, the Hon. Fred Kirkpatrick, Retired District Court Judge, is hereby assigned to the Randolph County District Court, Pocahontas Department, to hear the following case:

State of Arkansas v. Chris Wardlow - CR-22-306

The assignment of Judge Kirkpatrick to the Randolph County District Court, Pocahontas Department, shall include assignment to any additional cases scheduled on February 2, 2022, due to the Randolph County District Judge's recusal.

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 Kirkpatrick.

his order made and entered this 2nd day of February 2022.

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Chief Justice