

SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 26-049

BRANCH & THOMPSON, A
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION
PLAINTIFFS

VS.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS
AND GERALD ROBINSON,
INDIVIDUALLY AND IN HIS OFFICIAL
CAPACITY AS COUNTY JUDGE OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS
DEFENDANTS

Order Delivered January 20, 2026

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE,
ELEVENTH WEST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS
CASE NO. 35CV-25-848

GRANTED.

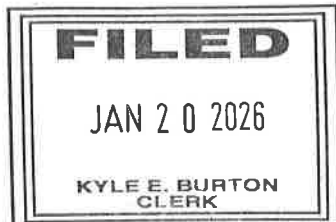
ORDER

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 Jefferson County Circuit Clerk, the Hon. William R. Wright (Bar #78176), Retired Circuit Judge, is hereby assigned to the 11th West Judicial Circuit to hear the following case:

*Branch & Thompson, a Professional Association v. Jefferson County,
Arkansas and Gerald Robinson, Individually and in His Official Capacity as
County Judge of Jefferson County, Arkansas*
Jefferson County Circuit Court Case No. 35CV-25-848

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 Wright.

This order made and entered this 20th day of January 2026.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Karen R. Baker".

Chief Justice