## SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 24-071

IN RE CONFLICT CASES

Order Delivered February 1, 2024

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE, LITTLE RIVER COUNTY DISTRICT COURT, ASHDOWN DEPARTMENT, LITTLE RIVER 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 Little River County District Court Clerk, the Hon. Manya Wood, Sevier County District Court, DeQueen Department, is hereby assigned to the Little River County District Court, Ashdown Department, to hear the following case:

State of Arkansas v. Hal Lewis - TR-23-3298

The assignment of Judge Wood to the Little River County District Court,

Ashdown Department, shall include assignment to any additional cases scheduled on the

conflict date due to the Little River County District Judge's recusal.

This assignment includes all ancillary proceedings which may arise in connection with said causes, and proceedings subsequent thereto shall be held at such time or times as shall be directed and ordered by Judge Wood.

The assignment of Judge Wood to the Little River County District Court, Ashdown Department entails only additional duties, and jurisdiction in the Sevier County District Court, DeQueen Department, shall remain in Judge Wood to the same extent as though this assignment had not been made.

This order made and entered this 1st day of February 2024.

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KYLE E. BURTON
CLERK

Chief Justice

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