

IN THE SUPERIOR COURTS OF THE WESTERN JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

STATE OF GEORGIA

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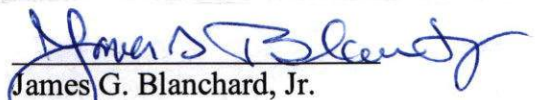
BEVERLY LOGAN, CLERK
CLARKE COUNTY, GEORGIA

IN RE: APPOINTMENT AND DESIGNATION OF SENIOR JUDGE DAVID DOCKET INITIALS
MOTES TO PRESIDE IN THE SUPERIOR COURTS OF THE WESTERN
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, GEORGIA

The undersigned having received a request from the Honorable Lawton E. Stephens, Judge of the Superior Courts of the Western Judicial Circuit, for the temporary assistance of a Judge in order to provide for the speedy and efficient disposition of the business of the aforesaid Courts, and the undersigned having requested the assistance of the aforesaid Judge, and said Judge having consented to so assist this court,

IT IS ORDERED that the Honorable David Motes, Senior Judge of the Superior Courts of the State of Georgia be, and he is hereby designated and appointed to serve and preside in the Superior Courts of Clarke and Oconee Counties to conduct proceedings for the dates of **April 1, 2021**. This appointment is made pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 15-1-9.2.

SO ORDERED, this 31st day of March, 2021.



James G. Blanchard, Jr.
Administrative Judge
Tenth Judicial Administrative
District of Georgia



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JAMES G. BLANCHARD, JR.
Administrative Judge



TRACY J. BeMENT
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March 31, 2021

Ms. Beverly A. Logan
Clerk of Superior Court
Clarke County
P.O. Box 1805
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Dear Ms. Logan:

Enclosed is an original order for filing designating Senior Judge David Motes to conduct proceedings for Judge Lawton E. Stephens for the date of **April 1, 2021**. Please contact Diane Russell at (706) 613-3175 for any criminal/civil matters scheduled for these dates.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tracy J. BeMent".

Tracy J. BeMent
District Court Administrator

Enclosure

cc: Judge James G. Blanchard, Jr.
Chief Judge Eric W. Norris
Senior Judge David Motes