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SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No. 11-359

STARK LIGON, AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT Opinion Delivered June 2, 2011

PLAINTIFF

ASSIGNMENT OF SPECIAL JUDGE

VS.

FRANK DAVID REES

DEFENDANT

PER CURIAM

Stark Ligon, Executive Director of the Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Professional Conduct, has filed a complaint for disbarment against the defendant, Frank David Rees.

Pursuant to Section 13(A) of the Procedures of the Arkansas Supreme Court Regulating the Professional Conduct of Attorneys at Law, a special judge shall be appointed to preside over the disbarment proceedings in the case herein. After hearing all evidence relevant to the alleged misconduct, the judge shall make findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendations of an appropriate sanction, and shall file them, along with a transcript and the record of the proceedings, with the clerk of the supreme court.

We hereby appoint the Honorable Jack Lessenberry of Little Rock as special judge to

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hear this matter and provide the court with findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendations of an appropriate sanction. Upon receipt of the special judge's findings, we will render a decision in this matter.