

# Supreme Court of Kentucky

2012-17

## IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF REGIONAL JUDGES

### ORDER

Under the Regional Administration Program Charter, the following judges are appointed Chief Regional and Vice-Chief Regional Judges for terms commencing January 1, 2013, and continuing until further order of this Court:

1. Purchase Region
  - a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: C. Rene' Williams  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Andrew C. Self
  - b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Hunter B. Whitesell, II  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: James G. Adams
2. Green River Region
  - a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Kelly M. Easton  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Phillip R. Patton
  - b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: C. Derek Reed  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Kimberly W. Shumate
3. Cumberland Region
  - a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Jeffrey T. Burdette  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Gregory Lay
  - b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Jeffrey Scott Lawless  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Michael Loy

4. Metro Region

- a. Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Audra J. Eckerle
- b. Chief Regional District Judge: Ann Bailey Smith

Under Section IV of the Regional Administration Program Charter and by virtue of these appointments, Judge Audra J. Eckerle shall serve as Chief Judge of the Jefferson Circuit Court and Judge Ann Bailey Smith shall serve as Chief Judge of the Jefferson District Court.

5. Bluegrass Region

- a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Robert Johnson  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Jean C. Logue
- b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Mary Jane Phelps  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Janet C. Booth

6. Northern Region

- a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Gregory Bartlett  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Charles R. Hickman
- b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Karen A. Thomas  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Jerry D. Crosby

7. Mountain Region

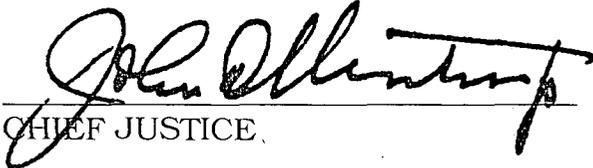
- a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: John David Caudill  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Eddy Coleman
- b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Susan M. Johnson  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Eric D. Hall

8. Fayette Region

- a. 1) Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Thomas L. Clark  
2) Vice-Chief Regional Circuit Judge: Pamela R. Goodwine
- b. 1) Chief Regional District Judge: Megan Lake Thornton  
2) Vice-Chief Regional District Judge: Joseph T. Bouvier

Under Section IV of the Regional Administration Program Charter and by virtue of these appointments, Judge Thomas L. Clark shall serve as Chief Judge of the Fayette Circuit Court and Judge Megan Lake Thornton shall serve as Chief Judge of the Fayette District Court.

Entered this 19th day of December 2012.

  
CHIEF JUSTICE.