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EASTERN DISTRICT ARKANSAS

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IN RE:

APPOINTMENT OF TAMMY H. DOWNS AS CLERK OF COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

From among many qualified applicants, all the active and senior District Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas have selected Tammy H. Downs as our Court's next Clerk of Court.

Downs attended Ouachita Baptist University, graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in History and Political Science. Her minor was in English. She earned a Master of Public Administration from Arkansas State University. Tammy has been with the Eastern District's Clerk's office for more than fifteen years. She started as a civil docket clerk in 2005, rose to a supervisory position in 2008, and has served as the Chief Deputy since 2019. Before joining the Clerk's office, Downs worked for thirteen years as a litigation paralegal in Colorado and Arkansas.

Downs will begin her service as Clerk in early July, following the retirement of our longtime Clerk of Court, James W. McCormack. The Court thanks all who applied for this most important position. And the Court congratulates Downs on her selection and her appointment, which is effective on 4 July 2021. 28 U.S.C. § 751(a).

So Ordered.

D.P. Marshall Jr.

Chief Judge

15 June 2021