

IN THE ALABAMA COURT OF THE JUDICIARY

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COURT OF THE JUDICIARY
Rebecca C. Oates
Secretary

IN THE MATTER OF:

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TRACIE TODD

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CASE NO. 58

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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BIRMINGHAM DIVISION

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CRIMINAL DIVISION

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, AL

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Order Regarding the Alabama Administrative

Office of Courts' Motion to Quash Subpoena

The Alabama Administrative Office of Courts ("the AOC") has filed a Motion to Quash Subpoena ("the motion to quash") as to a Civil Subpoena Duces Tecum ("the subpoena") filed by Judge Tracie A. Todd on August 26, 2021.

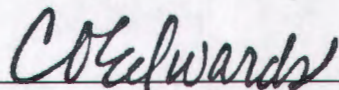
Pursuant to Rule 45(c)(1), Ala. R. Civ. P., Judge Todd and her counsel are required to "take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on" the AOC. See also Rule 45(c)(3)(A)(iv), Ala. R. Civ. P. Judge Todd and her counsel also are required "to allow [the AOC] reasonable time for compliance." Rule 45(c)(3)(A)(I), Ala. R. Civ. P.

Based on the representations made by the AOC in the motion to quash, it appears that the documents Judge Todd has requested in the subpoena (1) may be compiled by the AOC from its electronic databases to the extent the AOC has access to the pertinent information requested and (2) to the extent not subject to privilege, provided to her upon her

compliance with the provisions of Rule 33H., Ala. R. Jud. Admin., including, without limitation, the provision of additional information requested by the AOC and the payment of the AOC's estimated costs in compiling the requested information before any work is performed by the AOC.

The deadline for completing discovery is October 30, 2021. Judge Todd is hereby directed to immediately comply with the requirements of Rule 33H. and to converse and work with the AOC in order to obtain the non-privileged discovery that she has requested and to which the AOC has access in its electronic database on or before the deadline. If the AOC cannot provide such discovery before the deadline, the AOC shall inform this court of the reasons why it cannot provide such discovery.

ORDERED this the 17th day of September 2021.



CHRISTY O. EDWARDS
CHIEF JUDGE
COURT OF THE JUDICIARY