

IN THE ALABAMA COURT OF THE JUDICIARY

IN THE MATTER OF:

STEVEN KING  
CIRCUIT JUDGE,  
BLOUNT COUNTY, AL

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CASE NO. 65

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ALABAMA COURT OF THE JUDICIARY  
Nathan P. Wilson  
Secretary

JOINT MOTION TO SET EXPEDITED HEARING

COMES NOW, the Alabama Judicial Inquiry Commission (“the Commission”) and Retired Circuit Judge Steven King (“Judge King”) and hereby move this Honorable Court for an order expediting the setting of the public hearing required by Article VI, § 157 of the Constitution of Alabama, and expediting the adjudication of the Complaint filed in this matter. As grounds therefore, the Commission and Judge King show the following:

1. The interest of the administration of justice would best be served by an expeditious resolution of this Complaint.
2. Judge King waives his right under Rule 8, Ala. R.P. Ct. Jud., to thirty (30) days’ notice of the date and time for a hearing on the Complaint in this matter and consents to a more expeditious setting of the hearing.

3. The Commission and Judge King request a stay of this Court's Scheduling Order.

Respectfully submitted this 7th day of February, 2023.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that, on this the 7th day of February, 2023, a copy of the foregoing has been filed electronically with the Court of the Judiciary and a copy of the same has been served on the following via electronic mail and/or U.S. Mail, postage prepaid and properly addressed:

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