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State of Louisiana
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Wednesday, September 2, 2026

PANEL: JUDGES FITZGERALD, ORTEGO, STILES

THE FOLLOWING CASES ARE SET FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Case Number 25 245 CW Hearing Date: 09/02/2026

SETTOON CONSTRUCTION,
INC., ET AL
VERSUS
MICHELLE SETTOON, ET AL.
consolidated with
SETTOON RENTAL, INC.
VERSUS
DAVID C. ALBERT, ET AL.

Lead Case CW 25 0000245 consolidated with CA 26 0000154
CA 26 0000155

Trial Court - St. Martin
Sixteenth Judicial District Court

Defendant Applicant - James Huey Gibson - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Applicant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Applicant - James Huey Gibson - White Water Contractors, Inc.
Defendant Applicant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - White Water Contractors, Inc.
Defendant Applicant - James Huey Gibson - Settoon Investment Properties, Inc.
Defendant Applicant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Settoon Investment Properties, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Dawn D. Bonneau - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Walt Green - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Dawn D. Bonneau - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Walt Green - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Dawn D. Bonneau - Settoon Rental, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Walt Green - Settoon Rental, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Settoon Rental, Inc.
Defendant Respondent - Dawn D. Bonneau - Scott Settoon, Sr.
Defendant Respondent - Walt Green - Scott Settoon, Sr.
Defendant Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Scott Settoon, Sr.

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Defendant Respondent - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Lauren Settoon
Defendant Respondent - Walt Green - Lauren Settoon
Defendant Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Lauren Settoon
Defendant Respondent - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Christie Gravois
Defendant Respondent - Walt Green - Christie Gravois
Defendant Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Christie Gravois
Plaintiff Respondent - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Walt Green - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Plaintiff Respondent - Thomas C. Naquin - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Defendant Applicant - James Huey Gibson - Michelle Settoon
Defendant Applicant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Michelle Settoon

Case Number 25 680 KA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
STATE OF LOUISIANA
VERSUS
DARTANYAN KEITHCEL BREAU

Trial Court - Calcasieu
Fourteenth Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Hon. Stephen C. Dwight - State of Louisiana
Plaintiff Appellee - David S. Pipes - State of Louisiana
Defendant Appellant - Douglas Daniel Brown - Dartanyan Keithcel Breau
Defendant Appellant - Remy V. Starns - Dartanyan Keithcel Breau
Defendant Appellant - Dartanyan Keithcel Breau - Dartanyan Keithcel Breau

Case Number 26 7 KA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
STATE OF LOUISIANA
VERSUS
JASON MICHAEL PILCHER

Trial Court - Natchitoches
Tenth Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Billy Joseph Harrington - State of Louisiana
Defendant Appellant - Remy V. Starns - Jason Michael Pilcher
Defendant Appellant - Justin C. Harrell - Jason Michael Pilcher

Case Number 26 29 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
DENNIS GIBSON, INDIVIDUALLY AND ON BEHALF OF ALL SILMILARLY
SITUATED
VERSUS
NATIONAL HEALTHCARE OF LEESVILLE, INC.
D/B/A BYRD REGINAL HOSPITAL

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Trial Court - Vernon
Thirtieth Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Derrick G. Earles - Dennis Gibson
Plaintiff Appellee - Lawrence J. Centola, III - Dennis Gibson
Plaintiff Appellee - Edwin Dunahoe - Dennis Gibson
Plaintiff Appellee - Derrick G. Earles - Dennis Gibson o/b/o All SilmilarlySitua
Plaintiff Appellee - Lawrence J. Centola, III - Dennis Gibson o/b/o All Silmilar
Plaintiff Appellee - Edwin Dunahoe - Dennis Gibson o/b/o All SilmilarlySituat
Defendant Appellant - Thomas Richard Temple, Jr. - National Healthcare of Leesvi
Defendant Appellant - Byrd Regional Hospital - National Healthcare of Leesville

Case Number 26 143 JAC Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
STATE IN THE INTEREST OF
A. N., G. N. AND J. N.

Trial Court - Natchitoches
Tenth Judicial District Court

Other Appellant - Kay Stothart Celles - L. L.
Other Appellant - Kay Stothart Celles - D. L.
Other Appellee - John N. Bokenfohr - T. N.
Other Appellee - John N. Bokenfohr - L. N.
Other Appellee - Billy Joseph Harrington - State of Louisiana
Other Appellee - Jacqueline Chevette Williams - A. N.
Other Appellee - Jacqueline Chevette Williams - G. N.
Other Appellee - Jacqueline Chevette Williams - J. N.

Case Number 26 154 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
SETTOON CONSTRUCTION, INC.
VERSUS
MICHELLE SETTOON

Lead Case CW 25 0000245 consolidated with CA 26 0000154
Trial Court - St. Martin
Sixteenth Judicial District Court

Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Creamer, Sr. - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - White Water Contractors, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Creamer, Sr. - White Water Contractors, Inc
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Settoon Investment Properties, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Creamer, Sr. - Settoon Investment Propertie
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.

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Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Thomas C. Naquin - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Michelle Settoon
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Michelle Settoon

Case Number 26 155 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
SETTOON CONSTRUCTION, INC.
VERSUS
DAVID C. ALBERT, ET AL.

Lead Case CW 25 0000245 consolidated with CA 26 0000155
Trial Court - St. Martin
Sixteenth Judicial District Court

Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Scott A. Settoon, Jr.
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - White Water Contractors, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - White Water Contractors, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Settoon Investment Properties, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Settoon Investment Properties, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Settoon, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - S.A.S. Trucking of Louisiana, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Thomas C. Naquin - Scott A. Settoon, Sr.
Plaintiff Appellee - Dawn D. Bonnecaze - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellee - Walt Green - Settoon Construction, Inc.
Defendant Appellant - James Huey Gibson - Michelle Settoon
Defendant Appellant - Charles Martin Kreamer, Sr. - Michelle Settoon

Case Number 26 190 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
IN RE: JADE MICHEL WEAVER AND JOHN THOMAS WEAVER APPLYING
FOR INTRAFAMILY ADOPTION OF B.L.B

Lead Case CA 26 0000190 consolidated with CA 26 0000191
Trial Court - Avoyelles
Twelfth Judicial District Court

Other Appellant - Benjamin D. James - Jade Michel Weaver
Other Appellee - Rodney Marchive Rabalais - Alec Belt
Other Appellee - Matthew R. Foster - B.C. B.
Other Appellee - Matthew R. Foster - B.L. B.

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Other Appellant - Benjamin D. James - John Thomas Weaver

Case Number 26 191 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
IN RE: JADE MICHEL WEAVER AND JOHN THOMAS WEAVER APPLYING
FOR INTRAFAMILY ADOPTION OF: B.C.B.

Lead Case CA 26 0000190 consolidated with CA 26 0000191
Trial Court - Avoyelles
Twelfth Judicial District Court

Other Appellant - Benjamin D. James - Jade Michel Weaver
Other Appellee - Rodney Marchive Rabalais - Alec Belt
Other Appellee - Matthew R. Foster - B.C. B.
Other Appellee - Matthew R. Foster - B.L. B.
Other Appellant - Benjamin D. James - John Thomas Weaver

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THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE SUBMITTED WITHOUT ORAL ARGUMENT

Case Number 26 33 KA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
STATE OF LOUISIANA
VERSUS
JADEN MICHAEL ARDOIN

Lead Case KA 26 0000033 consolidated with KA 26 0000034
Trial Court - St. Landry
Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Chad Patrick Pitre - State of Louisiana
Plaintiff Appellee - Kathleen E. Ryan - State of Louisiana
Defendant Appellant - Elbert Lee Guillory - Jaden Michael Ardoin
Defendant Appellant - Caleb K. Aguiard - Jaden Michael Ardoin

Case Number 26 34 KA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
STATE OF LOUISIANA
VERSUS
JAIMAN MAURICE MASON

Lead Case KA 26 0000033 consolidated with KA 26 0000034
Trial Court - St. Landry
Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Chad Patrick Pitre - State of Louisiana

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Plaintiff Appellee - Kathleen E. Ryan - State of Louisiana
Defendant Appellant - Remy V. Starns - Jaiman Maurice Mason
Defendant Appellant - Waukeshia D. Jackson - Jaiman Maurice Mason
Defendant Appellant - Jaiman Maurice Mason - Jaiman Maurice Mason

Case Number 26 35 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
 JACK F. OWENS, JR.
 VERSUS
 SHANNON DRIVER AND JASON BOOTHE

Trial Court - Catahoula
 Seventh Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellant - William A. Yarbrough - Shirttail Estates, Inc.
Plaintiff Appellant - William A. Yarbrough - Jack F. Owens, Jr.
Defendant Appellee - Charles A. Riddle, III - Shannon Driver
Defendant Appellee - Charles A. Riddle, III - Jason Boothe

Case Number 26 149 CA Hearing Date: 09/02/2026
 KARIE EARNEST
 VERSUS
 DERRICK HOBBS

Trial Court - Natchitoches
 Tenth Judicial District Court

Plaintiff Appellee - Adam M. Sullivan - Karie Earnest
Defendant Appellant - Hon. Robert Charles Owsley - Derrick Hobbs
