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**Supreme Court Appoints Michael S. Moore
to Arkansas Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program Committee**

Little Rock attorney Michael S. Moore was appointed to serve as chairman of the Arkansas Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program Committee for a six-year term, commencing Feb. 28, 2013. Moore is a partner at Friday, Eldridge & Clark.

In a per curiam issued today, the Supreme Court thanked Moore for accepting the appointment. He replaces Thomas L. Barron of Little Rock, whose term expires this month. The Court also “expresse[d] its gratitude to Mr. Barron for his dedicated and faithful service to the committee.” Associate Justice Karen Baker serves as the Court’s liaison to the committee.

Arkansas Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program Committee is appointed by the Supreme Court to administer JLAP, which assists members of the legal profession impaired by mental health or substance abuse problems. The committee consists of nine members, including three citizens who are not members of the legal profession. Services are also available to law students.

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