

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF RITCHIE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
BUSINESS COURT DIVISION

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION,
Petitioner,

vs.

Civil Case No.: 21-P-15
Presiding: Judge Wilkes

MATTHEW R. IRBY, West Virginia State Tax Commissioner,
ARLENE MOSSER, Assessor of Ritchie County, and
COUNTY COMMISSION OF RITCHIE COUNTY,
Respondents.

ORDER ASSIGNING PRESIDING JUDGE TO CASE

On March 19, 2022, Chief Justice John A. Hutchison entered an Administrative Order granting a Motion to Refer the above-styled case to the Business Court Division. Pursuant to West Virginia Trial Court Rule 29.07(a), “[a]n order from the Chief Justice granting a Motion to Refer is a transfer of Business Litigation to the Division.

As required by Trial Court Rule 29.07(a), the Division Chair, with the advice and consent of the Division, hereby assigns the Honorable Christopher C. Wilkes to serve as the presiding judge in the above-styled case.

The Clerk of the Circuit Court of Ritchie County, West Virginia shall forward a certified copy of this order to all counsel of record, any pro se parties and the following:

The Honorable Christopher C. Wilkes
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Enter: March 31, 2022



MICHAEL D. LORENSEN, CHAIR
BUSINESS COURT DIVISION