

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

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION,  
Petitioner,

vs.

Civil Case No.: 17-AA-3  
Presiding Judge: Christopher C. Wilkes

DALE STEAGER, West Virginia State Tax Commissioner;  
DAVID SPONAUGLE, Assessor of Doddridge County; and  
THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF DODDRIDGE COUNTY,

Respondents.

ORDER ASSIGNING PRESIDING JUDGE TO CASE

On June 22, 2017, Chief Justice Allen H. Loughry II 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 Doddridge County, West Virginia shall forward a certified copy of this order to all counsel of record, any pro se parties and the following:

(Presiding Judge)  
The Honorable Christopher C. Wilkes  
Berkeley County Judicial Center  
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Martinsburg, WV 25401

Rory L. Perry II, Clerk  
West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals  
State Capitol Rm E-317  
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Carol A. Miller, Executive Director  
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Enter: July 11, 2017

  

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CHRISTOPHER C. WILKES, CHAIR  
BUSINESS COURT DIVISION

I hereby certify that the annexed instrument is a true  
and correct copy of the original on file in this office.  
Attest: MICHELE D. BRITTON  
Circuit Court Doddridge County of West Virginia

Michele D. Britton  
Clerk