



COURT OF APPEAL, SECOND CIRCUIT STATE OF LOUISIANA

Attached is your notice of docketing as required by URCA Rule 2-5.

**NOTE THE FOLLOWING:
URCA Rule 2-12.12 states:**

**If the brief of any party is not filed by the date that the brief is due,
the party's right to oral argument shall be forfeited.**

URCA Rule 2-11.6 states:

**No case fixed for argument or submission on the calendar shall be
continued, except in extraordinary situations which the court deems to
justify a continuance.**

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FOLLOWING IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE:

ORAL ARGUMENT TIMES PANEL INFORMATION (WHICH IS LISTED IN SENIORITY ORDER)

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Extended coverage of a proceeding shall not be permitted unless notice of intention to provide extended coverage of a proceeding is given by the media to the clerk of court at least 20 days in advance of the proceeding, provided that only reasonable notice shall be required for coverage of expedited proceedings not regularly calendared.

If a request for extended media coverage is received, all counsel will be notified and given time to object. The objection and the reasons therefore should be communicated to the clerk of court within the time provided in Section III of the Appendix to Canon 3.

The Court, its employees, and individuals with whom the Court conducts business are required to comply with the provisions of the Code of Governmental Ethics, which can be found at La. R.S. 42:1101-1170.

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**COURT OF APPEAL SECOND CIRCUIT
DOCKET**
FEBRUARY 23, 24, AND 25, 2026
Court begins as scheduled below:

THE FOLLOWING CASES ARE SET FOR ORAL ARGUMENT:

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2026 - MORNING SESSION
SHREVEPORT**

PITMAN THOMPSON MARCOTTE

10:00 A.M. 56,821-JAC Rule 5	State of Louisiana In The Interest Of K.S. (DOB: 06/15/23) K.S. (DOB: 05/11/19)	Annette Fuller Roach William Allen Haynes Melanie Frye McCullough Danika Angele Benjamin Kimberly S. Smith David O'dell Harville, Jr.
11:00 A.M. 56,829-KA	State of Louisiana versus Noel Deon Garner	James Edward Stewart, Sr. Jason Wayne Waltman Christopher Bowman Remy V. Starns Justin C. Harrell

[NO ARGUMENTS MONDAY AFTERNOON]

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026 - MORNING SESSION
SHREVEPORT**

PITMAN COX HUNTER

9:00 A.M. 56,796-CA	Alice Clark versus St. Francis Medical Center, Inc.	Anthony J. Bruscato Eddie M. Clark Nelson, Zentner, Sartor, et al
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STONE THOMPSON HUNTER

10:00 A.M. 56,861-CA	State of Louisiana, through its Department of Transportation and Development versus Entergy Louisiana, LLC	James L. Maughan Chadwick, Odom, & Stokes, LLC
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11:00 A.M.

56,799-KA

State of Louisiana
versus
Jimmy Wayne Newton, Jr.

Penny Wise Douciere
Molly M. Clement
Desiree Marie Valenti

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026 – AFTERNOON SESSION
SHREVEPORT**

STONE COX ELLENDER

1:30 P.M.

56,771-CA

Succession
of
Miriam Mandel Sklar
**MOVED TO FEBRUARY DOCKET
AFTER MOTION TO MOVE ARGUMENT
GRANTED ON 12/23/2025**

Hargrove, Smelley, & Strickland
Kean Miller, LLP
Jones Walker, LLP

COX THOMPSON ELLENDER

2:30 P.M.

56,783-CA

Answer filed

Victus 1, Inc. D/B/A Benchmark
Business Brokers
versus
Bradshaw's Body Shop, Inc.
A/K/A Bradshaw's Auto Body

Bernard, Cassisa, Elliott, et al
Tracy Wayne Houck
Thomas, Soileau, et al

3:30 P.M.

56,800-KA

State of Louisiana
versus
Eric D. Green

James Edward Stewart, Sr.
Kodie K. Smith
Remy V. Starns
Corrie R. Gallien

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2026 - MORNING SESSION
SHREVEPORT**

ROBINSON MARCOTTE ELLENDER

9:00 A.M.

56,696-KA

State of Louisiana
versus
Ladarrius Hodge

James Edward Stewart, Sr.
Rebecca Armand Edwards
Fernando Bernard Grider, Jr.
Christopher Bowman
Remy V. Starns
Michael Anthony Mitchell
Sara Tionne Anderson Clarke

STONE STEPHENS ROBINSON

10:00 A.M.

56,598-CW

Writ Grant

Gail B. Link, Administrator of the Estate of
Michael P. Link
versus
Total Imaging Concepts, Inc.

Cook, Yancey, King, & Galloway
Ayres, Shelton, Williams, Benson

STEPHENS HUNTER ELLENDER

11:00 A.M.

56,859-CA

Charles B. Racer
versus
National General Insurance Company

Richie, Richie, & Oberle
Gregory George Elias

**THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE COURT WITHOUT
ORAL ARGUMENT ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2026:**

PITMAN STEPHENS ROBINSON

56,706-KA	State of Louisiana versus Taylor Jackson Kerley	John Schuyler Marvin Richard Russell Ray Joseph Chancellor Nerren Cody Allen Boyd Remy V. Starns Michael Anthony Mitchell Holli Ann Herrle-Castillo Taylor Jackson Kerley, <i>Pro Se</i>
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STONE STEPHENS MARCOTTE

56,753-CA	Carol Angela Banks and David Banks versus Residence Inn by Marriott	Randy George McKee Pettiette, Armand, Dunkelman
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COX ROBINSON MARCOTTE

56,769-CA	Donna Anglin and Robert B. Anglin versus Christus Schumpert Highland Louisiana Health System, et al	Susan Elizabeth Hamm Walter Flanders Clawson
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PITMAN COX HUNTER

56,781-KA	State of Louisiana versus Amin Barkatali Virani	Daniel J. Smart Annette Fuller Roach
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STONE ROBINSON ELLENDER

56,784-CA	Doneyl Taylor versus Eric Clark	Gold, Weems, Bruser, et al Joseph Ransdell Keene Ayres, Shelton, Williams, Benson
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COX ROBINSON MARCOTTE

56,787-KA	State of Louisiana versus Eric Dominic Nabors	Robert Stephen Tew Holly A. Chambers-Jones Remy V. Starns Justin C. Harrell
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PITMAN STEPHENS ROBINSON

56,803-CA	Christopher Spires and Laura Lively, Individually and on Behalf of Nolan Spires, a Minor versus St. Francis Medical Center, Marc De Soler, M.D., Amanda Carnes, NNP, and Kathleen Lurette, NNP	G. Karl Bernard Breazeale, Sachse, & Wilson, LLP Hudson, Potts, & Bernstein, LLP Nelson, Zentner, Sartor, et al
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STONE STEPHENS MARCOTTE

56,852-JAC
Rule 5

State of Louisiana
in the Interest of
C.L. (DOB 07/12/2017)

Allison Moore Cooper
Elizabeth Clement Brown
Julie Toms
Gerald Walker
Annette Fuller Roach
Brittany Sullivan Lenard