



16th Judicial Circuit of Missouri

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News Release

On May 13, 2025, the administrative judge of the Jackson County Family Court issued a ruling concerning a juvenile who was alleged to be involved in the fatal shooting of Kansas City restaurant owner Shaun Brady on August 28, 2024.

After hearing evidence during a certification hearing held on April 8 and 22, 2025, the judge determined the juvenile was a proper subject to be dealt with under the provisions of the Missouri juvenile justice system. The juvenile was not certified to stand trial as an adult, and the matter will continue to be heard in the Family Court.

After a hearing on May 14, the judge determined that the juvenile should remain in secure detention.

Missouri law requires the names of juveniles to be confidential when their cases are in the juvenile justice system in the Family Court Division.

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