

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI
16TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, STATE OF MISSOURI**

In re: Repeal of Administrative Order No. 2021-099

Administrative Order No. 2021-116

ORDER

WHEREAS, on August 3, 2021, the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) issued an Order entitled “Temporary Halt in Residential Evictions in Communities with Substantial or High Levels of Community Transmission of COVID-19 to Prevent the Further Spread of COVID-19” (“August 3, 2021 CDC Order”); and

WHEREAS, on August 4, 2021, and in response to the August 3, 2021 CDC Order, the undersigned issued Administrative Order No. 2021-099 which, among other things, reinstated certain policies and procedures in the 16th Judicial Circuit related to cases involving a party filing an action seeking to remove or cause the removal of a person from a residential property, or seeking to recover possession of any residential property for the nonpayment of rent, and further directing that the Administrative Order would remain in effect through October 3, 2021 unless “sooner modified or terminated by a subsequent Administrative Order;” and

WHEREAS, on August 26, 2021, in the case of *Alabama Association of Realtors, et al. v. Department of Health and Human Services, et al.*, No. 21A23, The Supreme Court of the United States in a *per curiam* decision held that the CDC exceeded its statutory authority in entering the August 3, 2021 CDC Order, effectively invalidating it,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. Administrative Order No. 2021-099 is hereby **REPEALED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

August 27, 2021

Date



J. DALE YOUNGS, Presiding Judge

cc: Court Administrator
All 16th Circuit Judges and Commissioners
Deputy Court Administrator - Family Court
Deputy Court Administrator – Circuit Court/Jury Supervisor
Director, Civil Process
Director, Civil Records
Legal Counsel
County Executive
County Legislators
County Administrator