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### **PERSONAL DATA**

DOB: March 5, 1960; Montgomery, Alabama  
Married – Mary Frances Thetford  
Children: 2 sons, ages 19 and 22

### **EDUCATION**

University of Alabama (B.S., Commerce and Business Administration, 1982)  
University of Alabama at Birmingham (M.B.A. 1985); Awarded GA; Senator SGA  
Cumberland School of Law (J.D. 1988)

### **EMPLOYMENT**

1986 Baxley, Dillard and Dauphin (Birmingham, Alabama)  
Summer Clerkship, General Law Practice during Gubernatorial Campaign

1987 Hogan, Smith and Alspaugh (Birmingham, Alabama)  
Summer Clerkship, Plaintiff Law Practice

1988 Joseph D. Thetford (Mobile, Alabama)  
General Law Practice

1989-1994 Crosby, Saad and Beebe (Mobile and Birmingham, Alabama)  
Represented Plaintiffs and Defendants with a concentration in Product Liability asbestos actions in State and Federal courts; Administrator of Largest Settlement in Mississippi.

1994-2015 Wade S. Anderson and Associates, Claim Litigation Counsel for State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company. Represented individuals and Corporations in automobile/trucking accident litigation, Workmen's Compensation, personal injury, wrongful death, landlord- tenant, and casualty (homeowners) litigation. Courtroom experience includes over 80 jury trials.

2015 Selected by Jefferson County Judicial Commission and appointed by Alabama Governor to serve as Jefferson County Circuit Court Judge, Civil Division

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

- Birmingham Bar Association (Past Member of Medical Liaison and Public Service Committees)
- Mobile Bar Association (1989 – 1991)
- Alabama Bar Association
- Past Member – Alabama Trial Lawyers Association
- Alabama Defense Lawyers Association
- U.S. District Court for Southern, Middle and Northern Districts of Alabama

### **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

Member of Canterbury United Methodist Church, Musician for Canterbury Crossroads  
Guest Lecturer, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Department of Psychology  
Service Juris; Firehouse Shelter volunteer;

