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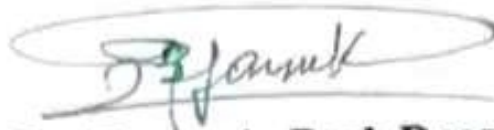
Juba: 12th August, 2026

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No 2/2026 DESIGNATING
KATOR COUNTY COURT, CENTRAL EQUATORIA
STATE, JUBA**

1. This is in response to recommendation dated 22nd July, 2026 submitted to me by H.W. Christopher Serafino Wani Swaka, the Mayor of Juba City Council, requesting the putting in place a Court or Courts with exclusive jurisdiction of disposing cases relating to maintenance of law and order through enforcement of disciplinary measures within Juba City.
2. Pursuant to the powers vested in me by Article 127(1)(a) and (b) of the Transitional Constitution of the Republic of South Sudan 2011, as amended, read together with Section 29 of the Judiciary Act, 2008, I, Dr. Benjamin Baak Deng, Chief Justice and President of the Supreme Court of South Sudan do hereby issue the above stated order designating Kator County Court, Central Equatoria State, Juba, as the Court of exclusive jurisdiction to dispose and try all the backlog of cases currently pending before Juba City Council.
3. The said designated Court shall handle the cases in the City Council in accordance with the City Council Legal Framework within its mandate delegated to it under the Local Government Act, 2009, and shall be under direct supervision of the President of the Court of Appeal of Greater Equatoria Circuit.
4. The President of the Court of Appeal shall regularly report to the Chief Justice from time to time in case the backlog of cases in Juba City Council ceases to exist or cleared in order to make

necessary changes with view to avoiding idleness within designated Court.

Issued under my hand and seal this 12th Day of August, 20



Dr. Benjamin Baak Deng
Chief Justice & President of Supreme
Court, Juba

Cc: Hon. Deputy Chief Justice

Cc: Hon. Chief Registrar

Cc: President of Court of Appeal of Greater Equatoria Circuit

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