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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS FAYETTEVILLE DIVISION

MEGAN MARIE BOLINDER

PLAINTIFF

V.

CASE NO. 5:24-CV-5174

J. DAVID JOHN

DEFENDANT

ORDER

Now before the Court is the Report and Recommendation ("R&R") (Doc. 9) of the Honorable Christy Comstock, United States Magistrate Judge for the Western District of Arkansas. Defendant J. David John filed Objections to the R&R (Docs. 10 & 11), which triggered the Court's *de novo* review of the record.

Having completed its review, the Court **OVERRULES** all objections and endorses the R&R's reasoning. Mr. John improperly removed this domestic relations case. He is displeased with rulings that the state court judge made against him regarding child support and visitation, and he asks this Court to step in and take over. That is impossible, as the state court has exclusive jurisdiction over domestic relations matters, and Mr. John has failed to raise any separate issues of constitutional dimension.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the R&R (Doc. 9) is ADOPTED IN ITS ENTIRETY. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to immediately REMAND this Case to the Circuit Court of Benton County, Arkansas.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this 30th day of August, 2024.

/s/ Timothy L. Brooks
TIMOTHY L. BROOKS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE