## STATE OF LOUISIANA COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST CIRCUIT

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUCCESSION OF JOSEPH DANGERFIELD NO. 2013 CW 0606

APRIL 19, 2013

In Re: Edith Williams Dangerfield, applying for supervisory writs and stay, 19th Judicial District Court, Parish of East Baton Rouge, No. 81095.

BEFORE: WHIPPLE, C.J., McCLENDON AND HIGGINBOTHAM, JJ.

WRIT AND MOTION FOR STAY OF EZZARD BOWMAN'S AUTHORITY AS ADMINISTRATOR OF JOSEPH DANGERFIELD'S SUCCESSION GRANTED. The trial court abused its discretion in denying Mrs. Dangerfield's exception raising the objection of no right of action and the ruling is vacated to allow for additional evidence to be presented at a hearing. This matter is remanded to the lower court to determine if Ezzard Bowman has established paternity for succession purposes under the provisions of La. C.C. art. 197 and/or whether the last will and testament of Mr. Dangerfield is valid and legally enforceable, and if so, whether Issac Bowman and Ezzard Bowman are one and the same person.

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