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Tennessee v. Arkansas

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Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
THE CHIEF JUSTICE

November 16, 1981

Re: No. 77 Original - Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

I agree with your November 13 proposal.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'W. White', written in a cursive style.

Justice White

Copies to the Conference

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE WM. J. BRENNAN, JR.

November 16, 1981

RE: No. 77 Orig. Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

I agree with the Proposed Decree you have
prepared in the above.

Sincerely,


Justice White

cc: The Conference

Supreme Court of the United States
 Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
 JUSTICE BYRON R. WHITE

November 13, 1981

Memorandum to the Conference

Re: 77 Original - Tennessee v. Arkansas

I propose that the Clerk write the parties in this case as follows:

The Court is disposed to enter the following decree in this case:

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

1. The boundary line between the States of Tennessee and Arkansas in the area in controversy is fixed as geodetically described in Exhibit A, appended hereto and as shown on Appendix E to the Special Master's Report filed with this Court on April 13, 1981. Said Exhibit E is incorporated by reference herein.
2. The costs of this proceeding shall be divided equally between the parties.

Exhibit A will consist of the description contained in Appendix D to the Special Master's Report filed on April 13, 1981. You will note that Appendix E to the Report will not be reproduced in the decree. The map would, of course, be a matter of record in the Clerk's office.

The Court would appreciate having your objections to or comments on the proposed decree on or before November 30, 1981.

BHW

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE THURGOOD MARSHALL

November 16, 1981

Re: No. 77 Original - Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

I agree with your proposed letter.

Sincerely,



T.M.

Justice White

cc: The Conference

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE HARRY A. BLACKMUN

November 16, 1981

Re: No. 77 Orig. - Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

What you propose by way of a letter to the parties in this case has my approval.

Sincerely,



Justice White

cc: The Conference

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE LEWIS F. POWELL, JR.

November 16, 1981

77 Original, Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

Your proposed letter is fine with me.

Sincerely,

Lewis

Justice White

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE JOHN PAUL STEVENS

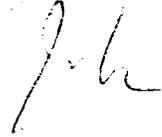
November 16, 1981

Re: 77 Orig. - Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron:

I agree with your proposed letter.

Respectfully,



Justice White

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR

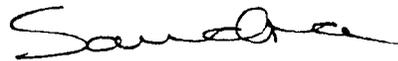
November 16, 1981

No. 77 Original Tennessee v. Arkansas

Dear Byron,

I agree with your proposed letter to the parties and with the proposed order.

Sincerely,



Justice White

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