

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 4, 2020

[Cite as *02/04/2020 Case Announcements #2*, 2020-Ohio-340.]

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## MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

**2018-0312. *State v. Davis*, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-309.**

Licking App. No. 2017-CA-55, 2017-Ohio-9445. Judgment reversed and cause remanded.

O'Connor, C.J., and French, Fischer, Donnelly, and Stewart, JJ., concur.

Donnelly, J., concurs, with an opinion.

Kennedy, J., dissents, with an opinion.

DeWine, J., dissents, with an opinion.

**2018-0794. *Willacy v. Cleveland Bd. of Income Tax Rev.*, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-314.**

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2017-513. Decision affirmed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, French, DeWine, Donnelly, and Stewart, JJ., concur.

Fischer, J., dissents, with an opinion.

**2018-1389. *State v. Barnes*, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-310.**

Cuyahoga App. No. 105964, 2018-Ohio-3273. Cause dismissed as having been improvidently accepted.

O'Connor, C.J., and Fischer, Donnelly, and Stewart, JJ., concur.

Kennedy and DeWine, JJ., dissent and would reverse the judgment of the court of appeals.

French, J., dissents.

## **MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS**

### **2020-0179. Nauth v. Dirham.**

In Mandamus. This cause shall not proceed pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 12.08 but shall instead proceed as an original action pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 12.04.

## **MEDIATION MATTERS**

The court refers the following cases to mediation under S.Ct.Prac.R. 19.01 and stays all filing deadlines for each case until further order of this court. The court will not issue any decision on the merits in these cases until mediation has concluded.

### **2020-0110. N.A.T. Transp., Inc. v. McClain.**

Board of Tax Appeals, Nos. 2018-55, 2018-56, and 2018-57.

### **2020-0121. Heisa v. Butler Cty. Sheriff Dept.**

In Mandamus.

### **2020-0134. O’Keeffe v. McClain.**

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2018-482.