SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

COLUMBUS

ANNOUNCEMENT

FRIDAY July 19, 1996

MOTION DOCKET

94-355. State v. Hill.

Hamilton County, No. C-920497. Upon considerion of the motion filed by counsel for appellant to continue stay of execution in the above-styled cause pending the exhaustion of state post-conviction remedies,

IT IS ORDERED by the court, effective July 18, 1996, that said motion be, and hereby is, granted for a period ending September 22, 1996, to allow appellant an opportunity to file a petition for post-conviction relief.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by the court that compliance with the mandate and execution of sentence be, and the same are hereby, stayed, pending the exhaustion of all proceedings for post-conviction relief before courts of this state.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that counsel for the appellant and for the appellee shall notify this court when all proceedings for post-conviction relief before courts of this state have been exhausted.

Pfeifer, Cook and Stratton, JJ., dissent.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

96-1056. State ex rel. Creasey v. Corrigan.

Cuyahoga County, No. 70107. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Cuyahoga County. It appears from the records of this court that appellant has not filed a merit brief, due July 15, 1996, in compliance with the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court and therefore has failed to prosecute this cause with the requisite diligence. Upon consideration thereof.

IT IS ORDERED by the court that this cause be, and hereby is, dismissed sua sponte, effective July 18, 1996.