

SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

COLUMBUS

ANNOUNCEMENT

FRIDAY
May 21, 1999

MOTION DOCKET

98-1674. Sheffield v. Browning-Ferris Industries of Ohio, Inc.

Lorain App. No. 97CA006847. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Lorain County. Upon consideration of the motion of *amicus curiae*, Browning-Ferris Industries of Ohio, Inc., to participate in oral argument currently scheduled for May 25, 1999,

IT IS ORDERED by the court that the motion of *amicus curiae* to participate in oral argument be, and hereby is, granted, and *amicus curiae* shall share the time allotted to appellee.

99-941. State ex rel. The Ryant Commt. v. Lorain Cty. Bd. of Elections.

In Prohibition. This cause originated in this court on the filing of a complaint for a writ of prohibition regarding an expedited election matter. Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED by the court, *sua sponte*, that following any June 1, 1999 special election on Ordinance No. 62-99, the ballots for the June 1 special election be impounded.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by the court that the ballots be counted but that the result not be publicly declared.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by the court that the result be sealed and filed with the court in this case.

F.E. Sweeney, J., dissents and would order the parties to file evidence and briefs by May 25, 1999.