THE STATE OF OHIO, APPELLANT, v. GARRETSON, APPELLEE. [Cite as State v. Garretson, 2001-Ohio-94.]

Appeal dismissed as improvidently allowed because the issue is now moot.

(No. 00-1462—Submitted April 3, 2001—Decided May 23, 2001.)

APPEAL from the Court of Appeals for Warren County, No. CA99-10-123.

 $\{\P 1\}$ The cause is dismissed, *sua sponte*, as having been improvidently allowed because the issue is now moot.

MOYER, C.J., DOUGLAS, RESNICK, F.E. SWEENEY, PFEIFER and COOK, JJ., concur.

LUNDBERG STRATTON, J., dissents.

LUNDBERG STRATTON, J., dissenting.

 $\{\P\ 2\}$ I respectfully dissent from the majority's decision to dismiss the cause as moot. Rather, I would find that pursuant to R.C. 2949.05, the trial court had jurisdiction to execute its sentence. Therefore, I would reverse the judgment of the court of appeals and reinstate the judgment of the trial court.

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James N. Perry, for appellee.

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