

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS

October 19, 2006

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## MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

### **2006-1633. Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy v. Pub. Util. Comm.**

Public App. No. 05-474-GA-ATA. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. Upon consideration of the motion of East Ohio Gas Company, dba Dominion East Ohio, for leave to intervene as appellee,

It is ordered by the court that the motion is granted.

## MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS

### **2006-1406. In re Application of Yazdian.**

This matter is pending before the court upon the filing of a report of the Board of Commissioners on Character and Fitness. On September 13, 2006, applicant, Reza Yazdian, filed a motion to keep portions of the record confidential. Upon consideration thereof,

It is ordered by this court that the motion is granted.

In re Report of the Commission on  
Continuing Legal Education.

Case No. CLE-05-38015

Mark Steven Wellman  
(#0038015)  
Respondent.

O R D E R

This matter originated in this court on the filing of a report by the Commission on Continuing Legal Education (“commission”) pursuant to Gov.Bar

R. X(6)(A)(1)(b) and (A)(2)(d). The commission recommended the imposition of sanctions against certain attorneys, including the above-named respondent, for failure to comply with the provisions of Gov.Bar R. X, Attorney Continuing Legal Education, for the 2003-2004 reporting period.

On May 16, 2006, this court adopted the recommendation of the commission, imposed a sanction fee upon the respondent, and suspended the respondent from the practice of law pursuant to Gov.Bar R. X(6)(B)(3) and (5)(A)(4). The court further ordered that respondent shall not be reinstated to the practice of law in Ohio until respondent complies with the requirements for reinstatement set forth in Gov.Bar R. X(7); respondent complies with the Supreme Court Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio; respondent complies with this and all other orders of the court; and this court orders respondent reinstated.

On October 11, 2006, the commission filed a recommendation pursuant to Gov.Bar R. X(7)(B)(2) finding that the respondent has paid all fees assessed for noncompliance, has made up all deficiencies, and is now in full compliance with all requirements of Gov.Bar R. X, and recommending that the respondent be reinstated to the practice of law in Ohio. The commission certified that respondent had completed the credit hours of continuing legal education required during his suspension by this court's order of suspension. On July 17, 2006, respondent satisfied all the requirements of this court's order of suspension. Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED by the court that the recommendation of the commission is adopted, and respondent, Mark Steven Wellman, is hereby reinstated to the practice of law.

### **MEDIATION REFERRALS**

The following case has been returned to the regular docket pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. XIV(6)(E):

**2006-1333. State ex rel. York Internatl. Corp. v. Indus. Comm.**  
Franklin App. No. 04AP-979, 2005-Ohio-3792.