

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS

December 20, 2006

[Cite as *12/20/2006 Case Announcements*, 2006-Ohio-6603.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2005-0293. Glidden Co. v. Lumbermens Mut. Cas. Co., 2006-Ohio-6553.

Cuyahoga App. No. 81782, 2004-Ohio-6922. Judgment reversed.

Moyer, C.J., Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor and O'Donnell, JJ., concur.

Lanzinger, J., concurs in judgment only.

Resnick and Pfeifer, JJ., dissent.

2005-0378. Pilkington N. Am., Inc. v. Travelers Cas. & Sur. Co., 2006-Ohio-6551.

On Order from the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio, Western Division, Certifying Questions of State Law, No. 3:01CV7617. Certified questions answered. See opinion.

Moyer, C.J., and O'Connor, JJ., concur.

Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur in part and dissent in part.

2005-0998. Robinson v. Bates, 2006-Ohio-6362.

Hamilton App. No. C-040063, 160 Ohio App.3d 668, 2005-Ohio-1879. Judgment affirmed and cause remanded to the trial court.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, O'Connor and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

O'Donnell, J., concurs in judgment only.

Lundberg Stratton, J., concurs in part and dissents in part.

2005-1240 and 2005-1241. Am. Financial Servs. Assn. v. Toledo, 2006-Ohio-6569.

Lucas App. No. L-04-1214, 161 Ohio App.3d 477, 2005-Ohio-2943. Judgment reversed.

Moyer, C.J., Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

Resnick and Pfeifer, JJ., dissent for the reasons stated in their dissenting opinions in *Am. Financial Servs. Assn. v. Cleveland*, ___ Ohio St.3d ___, 2006-Ohio-6043.

2005-1788. State v. Azbell, 2006-Ohio-6552.

Richland App. No. 2005-CA-0004, 2005-Ohio-4405. Judgment reversed and cause remanded.

Resnick, Lundberg Stratton and O'Connor, JJ., concur.

O'Donnell, J., concurs separately.

Moyer, C.J., Pfeifer and Lanzinger, JJ., dissent.

2005-1121. State ex rel. Moorehead v. Indus. Comm., 2006-Ohio-6364.

Franklin App. No. 04AP-404, 2005-Ohio-2667. Judgment reversed and writ allowed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, O'Connor and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

Lundberg Stratton and O'Donnell, JJ., concur separately.

2006-0714. State ex rel. Morgan v. New Lexington, 2006-Ohio-6365.

In Mandamus. Writ granted.

Moyer, C.J., Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

Resnick, J., concurs in part and dissents in part.

2006-0829. Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy v. Pub. Util. Comm., 2006-Ohio-6570.

Public Utilities Commission, No. 05-792-EL-ATA. Order affirmed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-0971. State ex rel. Scott v. Cleveland, 2006-Ohio-6573.

Cuyahoga App. No. 87985, 2006-Ohio-2062. Judgment affirmed.

Resnick, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor and O'Donnell JJ., concur.

Moyer, C.J., Pfeifer and Lanzinger, JJ., concur in judgment only.

2006-1055. State ex rel. Rashada v. Pianka, 2006-Ohio-6366.

Cuyahoga App. No. 87450, 2006-Ohio-2584. Judgment affirmed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-1163. State ex rel. Wellington v. Kobly, 2006-Ohio-6571.

Mahoning App. No. 05 MA 228. Judgment reversed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

Lundberg Stratton, J., dissents.

2006-1406. In re Application of Yazdian, 2006-Ohio-6585.

On Report by the Board of Commissioners on Character and Fitness, No. 298. The application of Reza Yazdian to take the Ohio bar examination is disapproved.

Moyer, C.J., Abele, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

Peter B. Abele, J., of the Fourth Appellate District, sitting for Resnick, J.

2006-1562. Disciplinary Counsel v. Jones, 2006-Ohio-6367.

On Certified Report by the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline, No. 06-013. David Ross Jones, Attorney Registration No. 0005283, is permanently disbarred from the practice of law in Ohio.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-1588. State ex rel. Gordon v. Murphy, 2006-Ohio-6572.

Summit App. No. CA-23295. Appeal dismissed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-1613. Cleveland Bar Assn. v. Boyd, 2006-Ohio-6590.

On Final Report by the Board on the Unauthorized Practice of Law, No. 05-03. Respondent is enjoined from acts constituting the practice of law, and civil penalty is imposed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-1621. In re Application of Stewart, 2006-Ohio-6579.

On Report by the Board of Commissioners on Character and Fitness, No. 293. The application of William Howard Stewart III to take the Ohio bar examination is disapproved.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.

2006-1640. State ex rel. Tarr v. Williams, 2006-Ohio-6368.

Allen App. No. 1-06-42. Judgment affirmed.

Moyer, C.J., Resnick, Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell and Lanzinger, JJ., concur.