

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 28, 2008

[Cite as *07/28/2008 Case Announcements*, 2008-Ohio-3704.]

SLIP OPINIONS REPLACED BY OHIO OFFICIAL REPORTS VERSIONS AS OF JULY 28, 2008

The official versions of the opinions listed below, which were previously released as slip opinions, have been published in the July 28, 2008 Ohio Official Reports advance sheet. These opinions should now be cited using the Ohio Official Reports citation format.

2007-0375. State v. Gardner, 118 Ohio St.3d 420, 2008-Ohio-2787.

2007-0442. Swaisgood v. Puder, 118 Ohio St.3d 445, 2008-Ohio-3177.

2007-1196. State ex rel. Valley Interior Sys., Inc. v. Indus. Comm., 118 Ohio St.3d 418, 2008-Ohio-2703.

2008-0182. Peleg v. Spitz, 118 Ohio St.3d 446, 2008-Ohio-3176.

2008-0532. State v. Lucky, 118 Ohio St.3d 446, 2008-Ohio-3178.

2008-618. State v. Bell, 118 Ohio St.3d 447, 2008-Ohio-3179.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

In re Application of Steven A. Bozsik for Leave to File Original Action in Mandamus.

On June 4, 2008, this court found Steven A. Bozsik to be a vexatious litigator under S.Ct.Prac.R. XIV(5)(B). This court further ordered that Bozsik was

prohibited from continuing or instituting legal proceedings in this court without first obtaining leave. On July 23, 2008, Bozsik submitted an application for leave to file an original action in mandamus against Hon. James L. Kimbler. Upon review of the proffered filing, the court finds it to be without merit. Accordingly,

It is ordered by the court that Steven A. Bozsik's July, 23, 2008 application for leave is denied.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2007-0748. Disciplinary Counsel v. Hofelich.

On application for reinstatement of James Hofelich, Attorney Registration No. 0033009. Application granted and respondent reinstated to the practice of law in Ohio.

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS

In re Report of the Commission
On Continuing Legal Education.

Case No. CLE-2007-11032

Richard Wright Rubenstein
(#0011032),
Respondent.

ORDER

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 2005-2006 reporting period.

On June 16, 2008, 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 July 22, 2008, 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 the suspension by this court's order of suspension. Respondent has 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, Richard Wright Rubenstein, is hereby reinstated to the practice of law.

MEDIATION REFERRALS

The following case has been referred to mediation pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. XIV(6):

2008-1436. Detroit Ave. I Corp. v. Cuyahoga Cty. Bd. of Revision.
Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2006-A-264.

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

2008-0697. State ex rel. Weaver v. Bd. of Commrs. of Lake County.
In Mandamus.