The Supreme Court of Phio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 3, 2008

[Cite as 09/03/2008 Case Announcements, 2008-Ohio-4419.]

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

In re Motion of Bozsik for Leave to Commence Original Action in Procedendo.

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 August 27, 2008, Bozsik submitted an application for leave to file an original action in procedendo. 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 August 27, 2008, application for leave is denied.

2008-1209. State ex rel. Badgett v. Mullens.

Washington App. No. 06CA61, 2008-Ohio-2373. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Washington County. Upon consideration of the joint motion to remand,

It is ordered by the court that the motion is granted and this cause is remanded to the Court of Appeals to implement the settlement agreement of the parties.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2008-1689. Allen Cty. Bar Assn. v. Brown.

This cause is pending before the court upon the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and

Discipline. On August 27, 2008, the board filed a request to withdraw the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation. Upon consideration thereof,

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

It is further ordered that this case is dismissed.

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS

In re Report of the Commission On Continuing Legal Education.

Kevin William Thornton (#0064509), Respondent. Case No. CLE-2007-64509

ENTRY

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 August 1, 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,

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It is ordered by the court that the recommendation of the commission is adopted and respondent, Kevin William Thornton, 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):

2008-1376. State ex rel. Gibson v. Indus. Comm. Franklin App. No. 07AP-770, 2008-Ohio-2840.

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