The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 20, 2013

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MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2012-1324. Disciplinary Counsel v. Talikka, Slip Opinion No. 2013-Ohio-1012.

On Certified Report by the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline, No. 11-009. Leo Johnny Talikka, Attorney Registration No. 0006613, is suspended from the practice of law in Ohio for two years with the second year stayed on conditions.

Pfeifer, O'Donnell, Kennedy, and O'Neill, JJ., concur.

O'Connor, C.J., and Lanzinger and French, JJ., dissent.

2012-2065. State ex rel. Porter v. Jensen, Slip Opinion No. 2013-Ohio-998.

Lucas App. No. L-12-1281, 2012-Ohio-5556. Judgment affirmed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Pfeifer, O'Donnell, Lanzinger, Kennedy, French, and O'Neill, JJ., concur.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

In re Howard.

On September 24, 2004, this court found Gregory T. Howard to be a vexatious litigator under S.Ct.Prac.R. 4.03. This court further ordered that Howard was prohibited from continuing or instituting legal proceedings in the court without obtaining leave. On March 13, 2013, Howard presented a motion for leave to file a motion to set aside or vacate his declaration of being a vexatious litigator.

It is ordered by the court that the motion for leave to file a motion is denied.

2012-1410. State v. Long.

Hamilton App. No. C-110160, 2012-Ohio-3052. This cause is pending before the court as a jurisdictional appeal.

Upon consideration of the motions for admission pro hac vice of Marsha Levick and Gia L. Cincone, it is ordered by the court that the motions are granted. Pursuant to Gov.Bar R. XII(4), counsel shall file notices of permission to appear pro hac vice with the Supreme Court's Office of Attorney Services within 30 days of the date of this entry.

2012-1432. Dublin City Schools Bd. of Edn. v. Franklin Cty. Bd. of Revision.

Board of Tax Appeals, Nos. 2009-Q-1282, 2009-Q-1283, 2009-Q-1284, 2009-Q-1285, 2009-Q-1286, 2009-Q-1287, 2009-Q-1288, 2009-Q-1289, 2009-Q-1291, 2009-Q-1290, 2009-Q-1292, 2009-Q-1293, 2009-Q-1294, 2009-Q-1295, 2009-Q-1296, 2009-Q-1297, 2009-Q-1298, 2009-Q-1299, 2009-Q-1300, 2009-Q-1301, and 2009-Q-1408. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Board of Tax Appeals.

It is ordered by the court, sua sponte, that this case be scheduled for oral argument before the full court. Oral argument before a master commissioner scheduled for April 2, 2013, is vacated.

2012-1476. Groveport Madison Local Schools v. Franklin Cty. Bd. of Revision.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2010-A-1290. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Board of Tax Appeals.

It is ordered by the court, sua sponte, that this case be scheduled for oral argument before the full court. Oral argument before a master commissioner scheduled for April 2, 2013, is vacated.

2013-0154. In re Application of Ohio Power Co.

Public Utilities Commission, No. 12-1046-EL-RDR. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

Upon consideration of Ohio Power Company's motion for leave to intervene as appellee, it is ordered by the court that the motion is granted.

2013-0373. State v. Duncan.

Hamilton App. No. C-120324, 2013-Ohio-381. This cause is pending before the court as a jurisdictional appeal.

Upon consideration of appellant's motion to stay the lower decision, it is ordered by the court that the motion is denied as moot pursuant to appellant's notice that the court of appeals stayed its decision.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

2013-0117. State Emp. Relations Bd. v. Brookpark.

Cuyahoga App. No. 98524, 2012-Ohio-5716. This cause is pending before the court as a jurisdictional appeal.

Upon consideration of appellant's application for dismissal, it is ordered by the court that the application for dismissal is granted. Accordingly, this cause is dismissed.

MEDIATION MATTERS

The following cases have been referred to mediation pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 19.01(A):

2013-0348. State ex rel. Snyder v. Ohio Wesleyan Univ.

Franklin App. No. 12AP-550, 2013-Ohio-608.

2013-0349. State ex rel. Roberts v. Indus. Comm.

Franklin App. No. 12AP-298, 2013-Ohio-287.

2013-0363. Grenny Properties v. Cuyahoga Cty. Bd. of Revision. Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2011-W-3883.

2013-0386. Richman Properties, L.L.C. v. Medina Cty. Bd. of Revision. Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2009-W-2607.

The following cases have been returned to the regular docket pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 19.01(E).

The appellants in each case shall file a brief within 40 days of the date of these entries, and the parties shall otherwise proceed in accordance with S.Ct.Prac.R. 16.02 through 16.07. As provided in S.Ct.Prac.R. 16.07, the court may dismiss these cases or take other action if the parties fail to timely file merit briefs.

2011-1616. State ex rel. Hildebrand v. Wingate Transport, Inc. Franklin App. No. 10AP-625, 2011-Ohio-3787.

2012-1184. State ex rel. Humphrey v. Indus. Comm. Franklin App. No. 11AP-446, 2012-Ohio-2650.

2013-0042. State ex rel. Floyd v. Formica Corp.

Franklin App. No. 11AP-928, 2012-Ohio-5769.