The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 1, 2015

[Cite as 10/01/2015 Case Announcements, 2015-Ohio-4046.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2011-1978. State v. Adams, Slip Opinion No. 2015-Ohio-3954.

Mahoning App. No. 08 MA 246, 2011-Ohio-5361. Judgment affirmed in part and vacated in part, and cause remanded.

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

O'Donnell and Kennedy, JJ., concur in part and dissent in part.

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

2014-1123. State ex rel. Lucas Cty. Republican Party Executive Commt. v. Husted, Slip Opinion No. 2015-Ohio-3948.

In Mandamus. Writ denied.

O'Connor, C.J., and Pfeifer, O'Donnell, and O'Neill, JJ., concur. Lanzinger, Kennedy, and French, JJ., not participating.

AFFIDAVITS OF DISQUALIFICATION

The chief justice has released the following judicial-disqualification opinion, which was previously issued as an entry in response to an affidavit of disqualification filed pursuant to R.C. 2701.03.

15-AP-047. In re Disqualification of Spencer, 2015-Ohio-3949 (decided June 3, 2015).

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS 2015-1193. State ex rel. Hunter v. Cunningham.

In Mandamus. This cause originated in this court on the filing of a complaint for a writ of mandamus.

Upon review of the memorandum in response to respondents' motion to dismiss, it is ordered by the court, sua sponte, that the memorandum in response is stricken as untimely filed pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 4.01(B)(1).

2015-1403. Columbus City Schools Bd. of Edn. v. Franklin Cty. Bd. of Revision. Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2014-2777. Upon consideration of appellee/crossappellant's motion to refer case to mediation, it ordered by the court that the motion is granted. The court refers this case to mediation under S.Ct.Prac.R. 19.01 and stays all filing deadlines for this case until further order of this court. The court will not issue any decision on the merits of this case until mediation has concluded.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

2015-1515. State v. Thomas.

Cuyahoga App. No. 101797, 2015-Ohio-3226. This cause is pending before the court as a jurisdictional appeal. The records of this court indicate that appellant has not filed a memorandum in support of jurisdiction, due September 28, 2015, in compliance with the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court of Ohio and therefore has failed to prosecute this cause with the requisite diligence.

Upon consideration thereof, it is ordered by the court that this cause is dismissed.

MEDIATION MATTERS

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

2015-1243. State ex rel. BF Goodrich Co. v. Indus. Comm. Franklin App. No. 13AP-1056, 2015-Ohio-2239.

2015-1453. Oregon RA Assocs., L.L.C. v. Lucas Cty. Bd. of Revision. Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2014-3398.

2015-1486. Southwestern City Schools Bd. of Edn. v. Franklin Cty. Bd. of Revision.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2014-3101.

2015-1490. Columbus City Schools Bd. of Edn. v. Franklin Cty. Bd. of Revision. Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2014-3495.

2015-1517. State ex rel. Singer v. Fairland Local School Dist. Bd. of Edn. In Mandamus.

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.

2015-0460. Dana Corp. v. Testa.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2011-2287.

2015-0465. Liebe v. Indus. Comm.

Cuyahoga App. No. 100649, 2014-Ohio-4082.

2015-0687. Edgebrook, L.L.C. v. Testa.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2013-4795.

2015-1332. Accel, Inc. v. Testa.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2012-2840.

2015-1388. Huber Hts. City Schools Bd. of Edn. v. Montgomery Cty. Bd. of Revision.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2014-4891.