

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 13, 2018

[Cite as *12/13/2018 Case Announcements*, 2018-Ohio-4977.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2017-0244. *State v. Johnson*, Slip Opinion No. 2018-Ohio-4957.

Muskingum App. No. CT2016-0035, 2016-Ohio-7931. Judgment reversed.

O'Connor, C.J., and O'Donnell, Kennedy, and Fischer, JJ., concur.

DeWine, J., concurs in judgment only, with an opinion joined by French, J.

DeGenaro, J., concurs in judgment only, with an opinion.

2017-0664. *State v. Murray*, Slip Opinion No. 2018-Ohio-4958.

Highland App. No. 16CA24, 2017-Ohio-1293. Judgment affirmed on the authority of *State v. Johnson*, ___ Ohio St.3d ___, 2018-Ohio-4957, ___ N.E.3d ___.

O'Connor, C.J., and O'Donnell, Kennedy, and Fischer, JJ., concur.

DeGenaro, J., concurs in judgment only, for the reasons stated in her separate opinion in *State v. Johnson*, ___ Ohio St.3d ___, 2018-Ohio-4957, ___ N.E.3d ___.

DeWine, J., dissents, with an opinion joined by French, J.

2017-1639. *Blackstone v. Moore*, Slip Opinion No. 2018-Ohio-4959.

Monroe App. No. 14 MO 0001, 2017-Ohio-5704. Judgment affirmed.

O'Connor, C.J., and O'Donnell, Kennedy, French, Fischer, and DeWine, JJ., concur.

DeGenaro, J., concurs, with an opinion.

2018-0081. *State v. Walker*, Slip Opinion No. 2018-Ohio-4960.

Ashland App. No. 17-COA-016, 2017-Ohio-8111. Cause dismissed as having been improvidently accepted.

O'Connor, C.J., and O'Donnell, Kennedy, French, Fischer, DeWine, and DeGenaro, JJ., concur.

2018-0259. Mahoning Cty. Bar Assn. v. Sciortino, Slip Opinion No. 2018-Ohio-4961.

On Certified Report by the Board of Professional Conduct, No. 2017-013. Michael Vincent Sciortino, Attorney Registration No. 0077089, last known address in Youngstown, Ohio, indefinitely suspended from the practice of law with no credit for time served under interim felony suspensions.

O'Connor, C.J., and O'Donnell, Fischer, DeWine, and DeGenaro, JJ., concur.

Kennedy, J., concurs in judgment in part and dissents in part, and would grant credit for time served under interim felony suspensions and would not require an Ohio Lawyers Assistance Program monitor.

French, J., would not require respondent to submit to an evaluation by the Ohio Lawyers Assistance Program and would grant credit for time served under interim suspension, but otherwise joins the opinion and sanction imposed.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

2018-1733. State v. Ryan.

Delaware App. No. 18 CAA 01 0011, 2018-Ohio-4739. On appellant's application for dismissal of duplicate case. Application granted. Cause dismissed.

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS

2018-1748. State v. Ahmed.

Belmont App. No. 17 BE 0046. On appellant's memorandum in support of jurisdiction. The memorandum fails to comply with S.Ct.Prac.R. 3.09(B)(3). Sua sponte, the document is stricken. Appellant shall file an amended memorandum in support of jurisdiction that complies with all provisions of the Supreme Court Rules of Practice within 15 days. Appellee may file a memorandum in response to jurisdiction within 30 days of the date of filing of appellant's amended memorandum in support of jurisdiction.