

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 25, 2010

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MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2009-0678. State v. Pepka, Slip Opinion No. 2010-Ohio-1045.

Lake App. No. 2008-L-016, 2009-Ohio-1440. Judgment of the court of appeals reversed, and appellee's convictions and sentence reinstated.

Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, Lanzinger, and Cupp, JJ., concur.

Moyer, C.J., and O'Donnell, J., dissent and would dismiss the appeal as having been improvidently accepted.

2009-1761. State v. Anderson, Slip Opinion No. 2010-Ohio-1109.

Cuyahoga App. No. 91209, 183 Ohio App.3d 522, 2009-Ohio-3900. Discretionary appeal accepted, discretionary cross-appeal not accepted, and judgment of the court of appeals reversed in part.

Moyer, C.J., and Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell, and Cupp, JJ., concur.

Pfeifer and Lanzinger, JJ., dissent and would not accept the discretionary appeal.

2009-2010. Disciplinary Counsel v. Mamich, Slip Opinion No. 2010-Ohio-1044.

On Certified Report by the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline, No. 09-036. Samuel Jay Mamich, Attorney Registration No. 0006097, is suspended from the practice of law in Ohio for six months, stayed on condition.

Moyer, C.J., and Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Lanzinger, and Cupp, JJ., concur.

2009-2238. Allen Cty. Bar Assn. v. Bartels, Slip Opinion No. 2010-Ohio-1046.

On Certified Report by the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline, No. 09-053. N. Shannon Bartels, Attorney Registration No. 0064012, is publicly reprimanded.

Moyer, C.J., and Pfeifer, Lundberg Stratton, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Lanzinger, and Cupp, JJ., concur.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2009-0897. State v. Fischer.

Summit App. No. 24406, 181 Ohio App.3d 758, 2009-Ohio-1491. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Summit County. Upon consideration of the joint motion for leave for amicus curiae Ohio Prosecuting Attorneys Association to participate in oral argument scheduled for March 30, 2010, in support of the appellee,

It is ordered by the court that the motion is granted, and amicus curiae shall share the time allotted to appellee.

2009-2104. Doe v. Ronan.

Certified Question of State Law, United States District Court, Southern District of Ohio, Western Division, No. 1:09CV243. This cause is before the court on the certification of a state law question. Upon consideration of petitioner's motion for leave to file a supplement,

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

2010-0510. In re C.P.

Franklin App. No. 09AP-823 and 09AP-854, 2010-Ohio-346. This cause is pending before the court as a discretionary appeal and claimed appeal of right. Upon review of the appeal it appears that the case involves the termination of parental rights/adoption. Accordingly,

It is ordered by the court, sua sponte, that this case shall proceed according to the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court of Ohio that pertain to the termination of parental rights or adoption of a minor child. Appellee's memorandum in response shall be filed no later than 20 days from the date of this entry.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2010-0067. Disciplinary Counsel v. Farinacci.

On Certified Order of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, No. 31869-0-DB. Robert Natole Farinacci, Attorney Registration No. 0069049, is publicly reprimanded.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

2009-2345. State ex rel. Mays v. Ohio Disposal Sys. Inc.

Franklin App. No. 09AP-159, 2009-Ohio-6322. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Franklin County. 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.

2010-0049. State ex rel. Ready v. Indus. Comm.

Franklin App. No. 09AP-90, 2009-Ohio-6271. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Franklin County. 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 REFERRALS

The following cases have been referred to mediation pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 17.1(A):

2010-0442. Lowes Homes Centers Inc. v. Wood Cty. Bd. of Revision.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2006-H-1136.

2010-0449. State ex rel. Voleck v. Powhatan Point Bd. of Public Affairs.

Belmont App. No. 08-BE-33, 2010-Ohio-615.

The following case has been returned to the regular docket pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 17.1(E):

2010-0211. State ex rel. Baker v. Coast to Coast Manpower L.L.C.

Franklin App. No. 09AP-287, 2009-Ohio-6663.