

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 5, 2011

[Cite as *05/05/2011 Case Announcements, 2011-Ohio-2137.*]

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

In re Starks.

On December 31, 2008, this court found Verdell Starks to be a vexatious litigator under S.Ct.Prac.R. 14.5(B). This court further ordered that Starks was prohibited from continuing or instituting legal proceedings in this court without first obtaining leave. On April 28, 2011, Starks submitted two motions for leave to file appeals of decisions in two court of appeals' cases.

Upon review of the proffered filings, the court finds them without merit. Accordingly, it is ordered by the court that both of Starks' motions for leave to file an appeal are denied.

In re Lewis.

On May 11, 2005, this court found Sidney T. Lewis to be a vexatious litigator under S.Ct.Prac.R. 14.5(B). This court further ordered that Lewis was prohibited from continuing or instituting legal proceedings in this court without first obtaining leave. On April 22, 2011, Lewis submitted a motion for leave of court to file judicial notice of stipulated facts for dissemination of false advertisements. On April 29, 2011, Lewis submitted an emergency motion for leave to set aside judgment and reopen cases.

Upon review of the motions for leave, it is determined by the court that they are without merit. Accordingly, it is ordered by the court that Lewis's motions for leave are denied.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2011-0321. Disciplinary Counsel v. Koehler.

On Certified Order of the Supreme Court of California, Case No. S187659. Henry James Koehler IV, Attorney Registration No. 0049004, is indefinitely suspended from the practice of law in Ohio.