

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 10, 2021

[Cite as *08/10/2021 Case Announcements*, 2021-Ohio-2730.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2020-1497. Disciplinary Counsel v. Deters, Slip Opinion No. 2021-Ohio-2706.

On Final Report by the Board on the Unauthorized Practice of Law, No. UPL 19-03. Eric C. Deters enjoined from engaging in the unauthorized practice of law in Ohio and civil penalty imposed.

DeWine, Donnelly, and Stewart, JJ., concur.

O'Connor, C.J., concurs, with an opinion joined by Fischer, J. (except that he would impose a \$13,000 penalty) and Brunner, J.

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

AFFIDAVITS OF DISQUALIFICATION

The chief justice has released the following judicial-disqualification opinions, which were previously issued as entries in response to affidavits of disqualification filed pursuant to R.C. 2701.03.

21-AP-051. In re Disqualification of Beathard, 2021-Ohio-2725 (decided June 2, 2021).

21-AP-064. In re Disqualification of Gill, 2021-Ohio-2728 (decided June 10, 2021).

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2020-1515. Columbus Bar Assn. v. Chambers.

On show-cause order. Richard Francis Chambers II, Attorney Registration No. 0081139, last known business address in Columbus, Ohio, found in contempt for failure to comply with the court's February 16, 2021 order. Previously imposed stay of suspension revoked. Respondent shall serve the entire one-year suspension imposed on February 16, 2021.