

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 20, 2021

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MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2021-0441. Disciplinary Counsel v. Ford, Slip Opinion No. 2021-Ohio-3661.

On Certified Report by the Board of Professional Conduct, No. 2020-058. Elizabeth Lorraine Ford, Attorney Registration No. 0068502, last known business address in Cincinnati, Ohio, indefinitely suspended from the practice of law.

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

O'Connor, C.J., concurs in part and dissents in part and would impose a permanent disbarment.

Fischer, J., concurs in part and dissents in part, with an opinion.

2021-0565. State ex rel. Newell v. Cuyahoga Cty. Court of Common Pleas, Slip Opinion No. 2021-Ohio-3662.

Cuyahoga App. No. 110215, 2021-Ohio-1197. Judgment affirmed.

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

Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur in part and dissent in part and would reverse the court of appeals' vexatious-litigator determination.

MERIT DECISIONS WITHOUT OPINIONS

2021-0690. State ex rel. Harrop v. Ohio Adult Parole Auth.

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Relator's request "to take judicial notice of his PRC notification" denied as moot. Cause dismissed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

2021-0773. State ex rel. Cleveland v. Gallagher.

In Mandamus and Prohibition. Sua sponte, cause dismissed. Relator's motion for issuance of a peremptory writ of prohibition and writ of mandamus denied as moot. Respondent's motion to dismiss denied as moot. Lieutenant Paul Baeppler's motion to intervene denied as moot.

Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

O'Connor, C.J., not participating.

2021-0804. LG Chem, Ltd. v. Goulding.

In Prohibition. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion denied. Sua sponte, alternative writ granted. The following schedule is set for the presentation of evidence and filing of briefs pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 12.05: The parties shall file any evidence they intend to present within 20 days, relator shall file a brief within 10 days after the filing of the evidence, respondent shall file a brief within 20 days after the filing of relator's brief, and relator may file a reply brief within 7 days after the filing of respondent's brief.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

Fischer and DeWine, JJ., dissent and would grant the motion on adequate-remedy grounds.

2021-0865. State ex rel. Bloodworth v. O'Shaughnessy.

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Relator's motion requesting entry of default judgment, motion for immediate issuance of a peremptory writ of mandamus, amended motion to strike respondent's motion to dismiss, and amended motion requesting immediate correction of the record and stay pending correction of the record denied. Cause dismissed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

2021-0917. State ex rel. Majid v. Gallagher.

In Mandamus and Prohibition. On respondents' motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

2021-0954. State ex rel. Peterson v. Gallagher.

In Procedendo. On respondents' motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2021-1094. Elizon Master Participation Trust I v. Metzger.

Montgomery App. No. 29077. On appellant's motion for emergency stay of eviction. Motion denied. Appellant's motion for temporary injunction denied.

APPEALS ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

2021-0948. State v. Stansell.

Cuyahoga App. No. 109023, 2021-Ohio-2036.

Kennedy, Fischer, and DeWine, JJ., dissent.

W. Scott Gwin, J., of the Fifth District Court of Appeals, sitting for Stewart, J.

APPEALS NOT ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

2021-0949. State v. Walker.

Cuyahoga App. No. 109328, 2021-Ohio-2037.

Stewart, J., dissents and would accept the appeal on proposition of law No. I. Donnelly, J., not participating.