

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 19, 2023

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## MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

### **2023-0572. State v. Jones.**

Hamilton App. No. C-220007, [2023-Ohio-844](#). Sua sponte, parties ordered to file simultaneous briefs that address whether this court has jurisdiction over the appeal under Article IV, Section 2 of the Ohio Constitution and/or any other applicable law. In addition, the court invites the filing of amicus curiae briefs addressing this issue. All briefs shall be filed within 14 days, and no responsive briefs are permitted. No requests or stipulations for extension of time shall be filed, and the clerk of the court shall refuse to file any requests or stipulations for extension of time.

Fischer, J., concurs but would frame the supplemental-briefing issue as whether this court has jurisdiction over the appeal under Ohio Constitution, Article IV, Section 2(B)(2)(a)(ii), Section 2(B)(2)(b), or Section 2(B)(2)(e) (including whether the opinion issued by the First District Court of Appeals constitutes a judgment) and/or any other applicable law, and would request amicus briefing from the Ohio Attorney General and the Ohio Public Defender only.

Betsy Luper Schuster, J., of the Tenth District Court of Appeals, sitting for Deters, J.