

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 18, 2024

[Cite as *01/18/2024 Case Announcements*, 2024-Ohio-155.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2022-0488. State v. Johnson, Slip Opinion No. 2024-Ohio-134.

Cuyahoga App. No. 110347, [2022-Ohio-81](#). Judgment affirmed.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer, DeWine, and Deters, JJ., concur.

Donnelly, J., dissents, with an opinion joined by Stewart and Brunner, JJ.

2023-0611. State ex rel. Jones v. Paschke, Slip Opinion No. 2024-Ohio-135.

Geauga App. No. 22-G-0037, [2023-Ohio-1536](#). Judgment affirmed.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, Brunner, and Deters, JJ., concur.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2023-1155. In re Natl. Prescription Opiate Litigation v. Purdue Pharma, L.P.

Certified Question of State Law, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, Nos. 22-3750, 22-3751, 22-3753, 22-3841, 22-3843, and 22-3844. On motions for admission pro hac vice of Philip S. Goldberg, Ethan J. Bond, Andrew Hatchett, Brian D. Boone, Zoe A. Jacoby, and Morgan L. Ratner. Motions granted. Pursuant to Gov.Bar R. XII(4), counsel shall file notices of permission to appear pro hac vice with the Supreme Court's Office of Attorney Services within 30 days.

2023-1508. Ho v. Co.

Hamilton App. No. C-220319, [2023-Ohio-3698](#). On appellant's motion to refer case to mediation. Motion denied.

2024-0080. State v. Lenard.

Cuyahoga App. Nos. 112283 and 112966, [2023-Ohio-4529](#). Appellant's memorandum in support of jurisdiction fails to comply with S.Ct.Prac.R. 7.02(B)(1) (a memorandum "shall not exceed fifteen numbered pages, exclusive of the table of contents and certificate of service"). Sua sponte, pages 16 through 19 of the memorandum in support of jurisdiction stricken.