

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 19, 2026

[Cite as *08/19/2026 Case Announcements #2*, 2026-Ohio-3199.]

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2026-1111. State ex rel. Williams v. McGinty.

In Prohibition. Sua sponte, respondents ordered to file a response, if any, to relator's "emergency motion to stay August 24, 2026 contempt/show-cause proceeding, suspend compulsory physical-appearance requirement, and preserve the status quo pending determination of original action in prohibition" no later than 3:00 p.m. on Friday, August 21, 2026. 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.

DISCIPLINARY CASES

2026-0057. Disciplinary Counsel v. Hine.

Sua sponte, Katherine Hine, Attorney Registration No. 0052217, last known business address in Chillicothe, Ohio, found in contempt for failure to file an affidavit of compliance on or before July 15, 2026.

2026-0627. In re Resignation of Morford.

Sua sponte, Warren Newton Morford Jr., Attorney Registration No. 0038031, last known business address in Ironton, Ohio, found in contempt for failure to file an affidavit of compliance on or before July 15, 2026.