

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 19, 2015

[Cite as *03/19/2015 Case Announcements*, 2015-Ohio-998.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2013-0624. State ex rel. Penwell v. Indus. Comm., Slip Opinion No. 2015-Ohio-976.

Franklin App. No. 11AP-936, 2013-Ohio-1244. Judgment affirmed.

O'Connor, C.J., and Pfeifer, O'Donnell, Lanzinger, Kennedy, French, and O'Neill, JJ., concur.

2013-0945. State ex rel. Cincinnati Enquirer v. Sage, Slip Opinion No. 2015-Ohio-974.

Butler App. No. CA2012-06-122, 2013-Ohio-2270. Judgment affirmed in part and reversed in part.

O'Donnell, Kennedy, French, and O'Neill, JJ., concur.

O'Connor, C.J., and Lanzinger, J., concur in judgment only.

Pfeifer, J., dissents.

2014-1532. In re Application of Steinhelfer, Slip Opinion No. 2015-Ohio-978.

On Report by the Board of Commissioners on Character and Fitness, No. 548. Timothy Michael Steinhelfer may apply to take the February 2016 or a later bar examination.

O'Connor, C.J., and Pfeifer, Lanzinger, Kennedy, French, and O'Neill, JJ., concur.

O'Donnell, J., dissents, and would allow respondent to apply for the July 2016 bar examination.

AFFIDAVITS OF DISQUALIFICATION

The chief justice has released the following judicial disqualification opinion, which was previously issued as an entry in response to an affidavit of disqualification filed pursuant to R.C. 2701.03.

14-AP-082. In re Disqualification of O'Donnell, Slip Opinion No. 2014-Ohio-5873 (decided Oct. 14, 2014).

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2014-0978. Boone Coleman Constr., Inc. v. Piketon.

Pike App. No. 13CA836, 2014-Ohio-2377. This cause is pending before the court as an appeal from the Court of Appeals for Pike County.

Upon consideration of the motion of amici curiae the County Commissioners Association of Ohio, the Ohio Municipal League, the Ohio School Boards Association, and the Ohio Township Association to participate in oral argument scheduled for Tuesday, June 9, 2015, it is ordered by the court that the motion is granted and amici curiae shall share the time allotted to appellant.

MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS

2015-0320. State v. Griffin.

Franklin App. No. 13AP-182, 2014-Ohio-5659. This cause is pending before the court as a jurisdictional appeal. The records of this court indicate that appellant has not filed a memorandum in support of jurisdiction, due March 16, 2015, in compliance with the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court of Ohio and therefore has failed to prosecute this cause with the requisite diligence.

Upon consideration thereof, it is ordered by the court that this cause is dismissed.