

SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

COURT CONVENEED AT 9:30 A.M., MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2008

THE FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE:

MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R. 1403 - In re: Judicial Vacancy

Pursuant to the authority of section 12, subsection (c) of article VI of the Constitution of this State, the following appointment is made:

Resident Circuit Judge, Livingston County, Eleventh Judicial Circuit

Effective July 14, 2008, and terminating December 1, 2008, the Honorable Jennifer Hartmann Bauknecht, Associate Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, is appointed Resident Circuit Judge of Livingston County, Eleventh Judicial Circuit, to the position presently held by the Honorable Harold J. Frobish, who is retiring from judicial office on July 13, 2008.

Order entered by the Court.

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE PRESENTED AND ORDERS WERE ENTERED AS INDICATED:

ADVISEMENT DOCKET

No. 104375 - People State of Illinois, appellee, v. Robert D. Brown, appellant.

Motion by appellee to cite additional/supplemental authority instanter.

No. 105504 - Irv Merritt, Independent Admr', et al., petitioner, v. Sigma-Tek, Inc., et al., respondents.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file a motion for reconsideration of the order denying petition for leave to appeal.

No. 105576 - People State of Illinois, petitioner, v. Walter Allen, respondent.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file a motion for reconsideration of the order denying petition for leave to appeal.

No. 105654 - People State of Illinois, respondent, v. Lawrence Sceerey, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file a motion for reconsideration of the order denying petition for leave to appeal.

No. 105842 - United Equitable Insurance Company, etc., et al., respondents, v. Zhongxia Yuan, movant.

Motion by movant to reconsider the denial of the motion to transfer case No. 07M119675, United Equitable Insurance Company v. Zhongxia Yuan, from Cook County to DuPage County, and to consolidate it with DuPage County Case No. 07AR1783, Zhongxia Yuan v. Patricia Jungkuntz.

#### PEOPLE'S DOCKET

No. 104443 - People State of Illinois, appellee, v. Laurence E. Lovejoy, appellant.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for filing brief to and including May 20, 2008.  
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Chief Justice Thomas.

No. 105415 - Christopher Holly, appellant, v. Jorge Montes, etc., appellee.

Motion by petitioner to supplement statement of facts instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

Emergency motion by appellee to dismiss original mandamus petition as moot.

No. 105453 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Paul Williams, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time for filing brief to and including April 9, 2008.  
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

No. 105751 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Maurice A. Artis, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time for filing brief to and including April 9, 2008.  
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Kilbride.

No. 106046 - Ladale Briggon, movant, v. Appellate Court, First District, respondent.

Motion by movant for a supervisory order.

No. 106060 - Office of the State Appellate Defender, Fifth Judicial District, movant, v. Hon. Melissa Chapman, Justice of the Appellate Court, Fifth District, et al., etc., respondents.

Motion by movant for a supervisory order.

#### CIVIL DOCKET

No. 104906 - Steadfast Insurance Company, appellee, v. Caremark Rx., Inc., et al., appellants.

Joint motion to dismiss this case with prejudice in its entirety, with the parties to bear their own fees and costs. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

No. 105050 - Marjorie O'Casek, as Special Admr'x., etc., appellee, v. The Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois, etc., et al., appellants.

Motion by appellants OSF Healthcare System and Richard Castillo, M.D. for leave to cite additional authority instantner.

No. 106048 - City of Peoria, movant, v. Hon. Tom M. Lytton, Justice of the Appellate Court, Third District, et al., etc., respondents.

Motion by movant for a supervisory order.

No. 106057 - Kelly N. Buchholtz Behle, movant, v. People ex rel. The Department of the Illinois State Police, respondent.

Motion by movant to transfer case No. 07 AR 04, Kelly N. Buchholtz Behle v. People ex rel. the Department of the Illinois State Police, from McLean County to Sangamon County and to consolidate it with Sangamon County cases Illinois State Police v. Lewis, No. 06 LM 1960; Department of State Police v. Nix, No. 06 LM 1955; Department of State Police v. Inafuku, No. 06 L 0262; Department of State Police v. Raymond, No. 06 L 0263; Department of State Police v. Lievers, No. 06 LM 1954; Department of State Police v. Tanner, 06 L 0264; and Lewis, et al. v. Illinois State Police, Jackson County Circuit Court, No. 06 MR 80.

No. 106093 - State of Illinois, ex rel. (Samuel L. Buoscio, petitioner, v. Hon. Sandra Tristano, Judge of the Third Municipal District of the Circuit Court of Cook County, respondent).

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for leave to file a petition for an original writ of mandamus.

LEAVE TO APPEAL DOCKET

No. 105658 - Nick Nickon, respondent, v. City of Princeton, petitioner.

Joint conditional motion by petitioner to consolidate case No. 105658, Nickon v. City of Princeton, with case No. 104538, Wills v. Foster, and allow participation in oral argument. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Kilbride.

No. 105931 - Laura A. Brzowski, respondent, v. Walter J. Brzowski, petitioner.

Petition by petitioner, pro se, for leave for Supreme Court intervention and mandated release of petitioner.

No. 106028 - People State of Illinois, respondent, v. Marlon Singleton, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for leave to withdraw petition for leave to appeal. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

No. 106072 - Patricia Bizaillion, etc., respondent, v. William Dale Carter, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for leave to file petition for leave to appeal instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Garman.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, to waive number of copies filing requirement and to proceed in forma pauperis. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Garman.

No. 106082 - Andrew L. Weil, respondent, v. Heather J. Weil, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file petition for leave to appeal instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

#### MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R. 22207 - In re: Jerome Mirza and Associates, Ltd., movant.

Motion by movant for leave to renew registration for the year 2008 pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 721.

M.R. 22285 - In re: Beverly B. Mann. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by Beverly B. Mann, pro se, for a rule to show cause pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 754.

Unopposed motion by non-party subpoena recipient Justice Anne Burke for an extension of time to file a response to the petition for rule to show cause to and including March 20, 2008. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.

M.R. 22299 - In re: Cogan & McNabola, P.C., movant.

Motion by movant for leave to renew registration retroactively for the year 2008 pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 721. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Fitzgerald.