



DECISIONS, NOTICES AND ORDERS

Tuesday, August 27, 2024

The Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia has taken action in the following cases. This list contains only the action taken by the Court, not the content or actual date of orders or decisions.

MEMORANDUM DECISION

In accordance with Rule 21, memorandum decisions were entered in the following cases:

In re M.C. and M.C., – No. 23-401 (Randolph CC-42-2020-JA-107, 108)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re L.H., – No. 23-424 (Kanawha 21-JA-655)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re P.F., B.D., H.D., and K.D., – No. 23-525 (Nicholas CC-34-2022-JA-69, 70, 71, 72)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re A.L. and S.L., – No. 23-539 (Mercer CC-09-20 22-JA-028, 029)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re A.L. and A.L., – No. 23-554 (Wood CC-54-2021-JA-231 and CC-54-2022-JA-294)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re A.L. and A.L., – No. 23-580 (Wood CC-54-2021-JA-231 and CC-54-2022-JA-294)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re C.S., – No. 23-427 (Mercer CC-28-2022-JA-98)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re C.K., I.F., and I.F., – No. 23-454 (Lewis CC-21-2022-JA-30, 31, 32)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re I.F. and I.F., – No. 23-463 (Lewis CC-21-2022-JA-31, 32)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re N.M. and J.M., – No. 23-531 (Marion CC-24-2023-JA-25, 26)
Affirmed (5-0)

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In re N.M. and J.M., - No. 23-571 (Marion CC-24-2023-JA-25, 26)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re L.B., - No. 23-545 (Wayne CC-50-2021-JA-84)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re S.W., - No. 23-584 (Lewis CC-21-2023-JA-8)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re J.M., - No. 23-514 (Wayne CC-50-2022-JA-34)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re A.F., D.F., and T.W., - No. 23-293 (Harrison CC-17-2023-JA-4, 5, 6)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re A.B., S.B. and M.B., - No. 23-301 (Wayne CC-50-2023-JA-19 and CC-50-2022-JA-122,123)
Vacated and remanded (5-0)

In re Z.B., P.W., R.W., A.W., M.R., and S.R., - No. 23-306
(Monongalia 22-JA-20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re G.P., - No. 23-328 (Randolph CC-42-2022-JA-72)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re G.J., D.J., and K.J., - No. 23-411 (Kanawha 21-JA-627, 628, 630)
Affirmed (5-0)

In re G.J., D.J., and K.J., - No. 23-417 (Kanawha 21-JA-627, 628, 630)
Affirmed (5-0)

State of West Virginia v. Rashad Akheem Thompson, - No. 23-5 (Raleigh CC-41-2021-F-235)
Affirmed (5-0)

State of West Virginia v. Robert M., - No. 23-33 (Clay CC-08-2022-F-11)
Affirmed (5-0)

Jeffrey Phipps v. Shawn Straughn, Superintendent, Northern Correctional Facility,
- No. 22-0296 (Kanawha 21-P-2)
Affirmed (5-0)

State of West Virginia v. Richard A. Kavazanjian, - No. 23-18 (Greenbrier CC-13-2021-F-22)
Affirmed (5-0)

John Moore Sr., v. Brian Lanham, Superintendent, Tygart Valley Regional Jail, - No. 23-78
(Taylor 21-C-17)
Affirmed (5-0)

RULE 19 ARGUMENT GRANTED

The following cases will be scheduled for Rule 19 oral argument:

In re L.J., I.J., A.J., and G.J., – No. 23-472
(Wood CC-54-2021-JA-228, 229, 230 and CC-54-2022-JA-225)

In re L.J., I.J., A.J., and G.J., – No. 23-498
(Wood CC-54-2021-JA-228, 229, 230 and CC-54-2022-JA-225)

In re M.M., – No. 23-506 (Putnam CC-40-2021-JA-68)

In re K.K. and A.K., – No. 23-341 (Braxton CC-04-2023-JA-6, 7,)

Douglas S. Rockwell and Carol Rockwell v. Jefferson County Board of Zoning Appeals and Rippon Energy Facility, LLC, - No. 23-369 (Jefferson CC-19-2022-C-141)

State of West Virginia v. Keith Jason Walker, - No. 22-0013 (Barbour 19-F-71 and 21-F-28)

State of West Virginia v. Richard Dane Small, - No. 22-706 (Berkeley CC-02-2020-F-212)

State of West Virginia v. Gavin Blaine Smith, - No. 23-86 (Kanawha 22-F-130)

State of West Virginia v. Chad M. Eldredge, - No. 23-81 (Fayette CC-10-2022-F-80)

State of West Virginia v. Sean Allen Taylor, - No. 23-120 (Roane CC-44-2021-F-60)

RULE 20 ARGUMENT GRANTED

The following cases will be scheduled for Rule 20 oral argument:

Elaine Neidig, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated v. Valley Health System,
- No. 24-27 (Certified Question)

Erie Insurance Property & Casualty Company v. James Skylar Cooper, - No. 23-702
(Certified Question)

State of West Virginia ex rel. State of West Virginia v. The Honorable Paul Gwaltney, Judge of the Circuit Court of Monongalia County, and William J. McGough, - No. 24-31
(Original Prohibition)

Stafford Glenn Poff, Sheria Maynard, Travis Williamson, Chris Booton, Sean Johnson, Chester Maynard, James Ward, Paul Baker, Aaron Farley, Ward R. Wellman, and Nathan Triplett v. Wayne County Commission, - No. 24-105 (Certified Question)

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ORDERS

Orders of note were entered in the following cases:

Douglas Shephard and Regina Shephard v. Thomas Minton, American Select Insurance Company, Westfield Insurance Company, Bond Insurance Agency, Inc., and United Security Agency, Inc., doing business as Bond Insurance Agency, - No. 24-46
(Certified Question not docketed)
(5-0)

State of West Virginia ex rel. Gary Lee Ravenscroft, Jr. v. Joseph Wood, Superintendent, North Central Regional Jail, - No. 23-649
(Original Habeas)
Petition refused (5-0)

State of West Virginia ex rel. Gary Lee Ravenscroft, Jr. v. Jason Hutson, Superintendent, North Central Regional Jail, - No. 24-175
(Original Habeas)
Petition refused (5-0)