SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE SUPREME COURT DISCRETIONARY APPEALS Grants & Denials List

Monday, April 16, 2012

GRANTS

STYLE/APPEAL NUMBER	COUNTY TRIAL JUDGE TRIAL COURT NO.	APPELLATE JUDGE JUDGMENT	NATURE OF APPEAL	ACTION		
<u>Nashville</u>						
Walton Cunningham, et al. v. Williamson County Hospital District, et al. M2011-00554-SC-S09-CV	Williamson County Circuit Court Judge James G. Martin III No. 2010119	Clement, Jr., J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Williamson County Hospital District, et al. (Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)		
State of Tennessee v. Robert Jason Burdick M2010-00144-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Seth Norman No. 2008-B-1350	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Robert Jason Burdick (Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)		
State of Tennessee v. Christine Caudle M2010-01172-SC-R11-CD	Williamson County Circuit Court Judge Timothy L. Easter No. II-CR094394	Tipton, P.J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Christine Caudle (Order filed - 4-12-12 - attached)		

Rheaetta F. Wilson, et al. V. Americare Systems, Inc., et al. M2011-00240-SC-R11-CV	Bedford County Circuit Court Judge Franklin L. Russell No. 10204	Bennett, J. Reversed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Rheaetta F. Wilson and Lauralyn F. Watson (Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)
Daniel Renteria-Villegas, et al. V. Metropolitan Government of Nashville, et al. M2011-02423-SC-R23-CQ	Certified Question of Law- United States District Court Middle District of Tennessee No. 3:11-00218		Rule 23	Certification Question of Law Accepted (Does an October 2009 Memorandum of Agreement between the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement and the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, by and through the Davidson County Sheriffs Office, violate the Charter of Nashville and Davidson County or other state law?) (Order filed - 4-12-12 - attached)
<u>Knoxville</u>				

Dick Broadcasting Co., Inc. of Tennessee v. Oak Ridge FM, Inc., et al. E2010-01685-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Chancery Court Chancellor Michael W. Moyers	McClarty, J. Reversed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Dick Broadcasting Company, Inc. of Tennessee (Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)
In Re: Estate of Thomas Grady Chastain E2011-01442-SC-R1-CV	Polk County Chancery Court Chancellor Jerri Bryant No. P933	Susano, J. Reversed	Rule 11	Granted - Application of Adrian Chastain and Trent Chastain (Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)

Jackson

Morgan Keegan & Company, Inc. v.	Shelby County Chancery	Farmer, J.	Rule 11	Granted - Application of William
William Hamilton Smythe III, et al. W2010-01339-SC-R11-CV	Court Chancellor Walter Evans	Kirby, J. Stafford, J.		Hamilton Smythe III, et al.
W2010-01339-3C-K11-CV	No. CH-09-2353	Appeal		
		Dismissed		(Order filed - 4-11-12 - attached)

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DENIALS

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<u>Nashville</u>					
David Scott Blackwell v. Bill Haslam, et al. M2011-00588-SC-R11-CV	Davidson County Chancery Court Chancellor Ellen H. Lyle No. 100739III	Clement, Jr. J. Affirmed in Part; Reversed in Part	Rule 11	Denied - Application of the State of Tennessee, Governor Bill Haslam, et al. (Order filed - 4-11-12)	
Kevin Joel Herenandez v. State of Tennessee M2011-00038-SC-R11-PC	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge J. Randall Wyatt, Jr. No. 200-D-1876	Ogle, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Kevin Joel Hernandez (Order filed - 4-11-12)	

William A. Howard v. State of Tennessee M2010-02384-SC-R11-PC	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Monte Watkins No. 220A856	Wedemeyer, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of William A. Howard (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Benjamin J. Indoccio, Jr. V. M & A Builders LLC and Estate of David Meeks M2010-02624-SC-R11-CV	Rutherford County Circuit Court Judge Robert E. Corlew III No. 56910	Farmer, J. Affirmed and Remanded	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Benjamin J. Indoccio, Jr. (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Montgomery County, TN v. Delinquent Taxpayers M2011-01922-SC-R11-CV	Montgomery County Chancery court Chancellor Laurence M. McMillan No. MCCHCVDQ101	Per Curiam Dismissed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Robert Thomas Irvin (Motion Pursuant to T.R.C.P. Rule 3 Commencement of Action filed by Robert Thomas Irvin - Denied) (Order filed - 4-11-12) (William C. Koch, Jr., J., Not Participating)
Montgomery County, TN v. Delinquent Taxpayers M2011-01923-SC-R11-CV	Montgomery County Chancery Court Chancellor Laurence McMillan No. MCCHCVDQ111	Per Curiam Dismissed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Robert Thomas Irvin (Motion Pursuant to T.R.C.P. Rule 3 Commencement of Action-Denied) (Order filed - 4-11-12) (William D. Koch, Jr., J., Not Participating)
South Central Tennessee Railroad Authority v. Anthony Michael Pawlowski, et al. M2012-00010-SC-S09-CV	Hickman County Circuit Court Judge Timothy L. Easter No. 065079C	Per Curiam Rule 9 Denied	Rule 11	Denied - Application of South Central Tennessee Railroad Authority (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Roderick Baldwin M2010-02595-SC-R11-CD	Montgomery County Circuit Court Judge Michael R. Jones Nos. 40900449, 40901199, 41000416	Tipton, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Roderick Baldwin (Order filed - 4-11-12)

State of Tennessee v. Frederick Edward Braxton M2010-01998-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Mark J. Fishburn No. 2009-C-2845	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Frederick Edward Braxton (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Marease Antonio Crawford M2010-02658-SC-R11-CD	Bedford County Circuit Court Judge Lee Russell No. 17047	Smith, J. Vacated in Part, Affirmed in Part and Remanded	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Marease Antonio Crawford (The opinion of the Court of Criminal Appeals is designated "Not For Citation" in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 4(E) (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. John C. Crim M2010-01281-SC-R11-CD	Wilson County Criminal Court Judge David Earl Durham No. 08-CR-567	McMullen, J. Affirmed and Remanded	Rule 11	Denied - Application of John C. Crim (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Carl T. Jones M2011-00878-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Steve Dozier No. 2005-A-450	Bivins, J. Dismissed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Carl T. Jones (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. John David Luther M2010-01237-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Monte Watkins No. 2008C2459	Glenn, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of John David Luther (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Ted Ormand Pate M2009-02321-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Steve Dozier No. 2007-D-3508	Wedemeyer, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Ted Ormand Pate (Order filed - 4-11-12)

State of Tennessee v. Charles Steven Shivers M2009-02079-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge J.Randall Wyatt, Jr.	Williams, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Charles Steven Shivers (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Michelle Tipton v. State of Tennessee M2011-00190-SC-R11-HC	Davidson County Criminal Court Judge Monte Watkins No. 4263	Tipton, P.J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Michelle Tipson (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Town of Smyrna, Tennessee v. Perry Bell M2010-01519-SC-R11-CV	Rutherford County Circuit Court Judge J. Mark Rogers No. 59935	Cottrell, P.J. Reversed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Perry Bell (October 31, 2011 opinion of the Court of Appeals is designated "Not for Citation" in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 4(E)(1) (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Shawn Weaver, et al. V. Henry Oil Company of Tennessee, Inc., et al. M2012-00182-SC-R10-CV	Montgomery County Circuit Court Judge Ross H. Hicks No. MCCCCVOD08650	Per Curiam Rule 10 Denied	Rule 10	Denied - Application of Henry Oil Company of Tennessee, Inc., et al. (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Corin Mucha Wilkinson v. Thomas Gregg Wilkinson M2010-00026-SC-R11-CV	Davidson County Circuit Court Judge Carol Soloman No. 08D2770	Swiney, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Thomas Gregg Wilkinson (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Montarius Williams M2010-02666-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Cirminal Court Judge J. Randall Wyatt, J.	Bivins, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Montarius Williams (Order filed - 4-11-12)

State of Tennessee v. Danita Wilson and Tiffany Norman M2008-02850-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal County Judge J. Randall Wyatt, Jr.	Woodall, J. Reversed and Dismissed - Cts. 1 and 2 Against T. Norman; Remanded for Entry of Corrected Judgment in Ct. 8; All Other Respects - Judgments Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Danita Wilson and Tiffany Norman (Motion of Danita Wilson to proceed <i>in forma pauperis</i> is granted, the motion for appointment of counsel is denied) (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Adam Michael Zuffinetti v. Jennifer Lynn Zuffinetti M2011-02715-SC-S09-CV	Davidson County Circuit Court Judge Carol Soloman No. 11D108	Per Curiam Rule 9 Denied	Rule 9	Denied - Application of Jennifer Lynn Zuffinetti (Order filed - 4-11-12)
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Carolyn L. Denton-Preletz, et al. v. Susan L. Denton E2010-01756-SC-R11-CV	Cumberland County Chancery Court Chancellor Ronald Thurman No. 08-CH126	McClarty, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Carolyn L. Denton-Preletz (Order filed - 4-11-12)
411 Partnership v. Knox County, Tennessee and the Knox County Board of Zoning Appeals E2010-02390-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court Judge Harold Wimberly, Jr. No. 2-26-10	Franks, P.J. Reversed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Knox County, Tennessee, et al. (Order filed - 4-11-12)

Jacqueline G. Furlong v. Kevin Keane Furlong E2010-02456-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court Judge Bill Swann No. 118972	Susano, J. Reversed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Jacqueline G. Furlong (Order filed - 4-11-12)
In Re: Keara J., et al. E2011-00850-SC-R11-PT	Knox County Juvenile Court Judge Timothy E. Irwin No. 114975	Susano, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of the father and mother (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Joshua N. Lee v. Lyons Constructions Company, Inc. E2010-02388-SC-R11-CV	Sevier County Circuit Court Judge Richard Vance No. 2009026311	Franks, P.J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Joshua N. Lee (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Glenn Curtis Letsinger v. State of Tennessee E2011-01511-SC-R11-PC	Knox County Criminal Court Judge Mary Beth Leibowitz No. 94452	Bivins, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Glenn Curtis Letsinger (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Mike Settle v. David Osborne, Warden E2011-00766-SC-R11-HC	Morgan County Circuit Court Judge E. Eugene Eblen No. 2011CR1	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Mike Settle (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Marcus Branner E2011-00404-SC-R11-CD	Knox County Criminal Court Judge Richard Baumgartner No. 67840	Witt, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Marcus Branner (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Johnny Coffey E2011-00192-SC-R11-CD	Bradley County Circuit Court Judge Carroll L. Ross No. M-08-597	Witt, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Johnny Coffey (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Jason Osmond Hines E2010-01021-SC-R11-CD	Hamilton County Criminal Court Judge Don W. Poole No. 266065	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Jason Osmond Hines (Order filed - 4-11-12)

State of Tennessee v. Jerry McGaha E2009-02553-SC-R11-PC	Cocke County Circuit Court Judge Ben W. Hooper II No. 30,871	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Jerry McGaha (Order filed - 4-11-12)		
State of Tennessee v. Todd Joseph Sweet E2010-00728-SC-R11-CD	Monroe County Circuit Court Judge Carroll L. Ross No. 08-081	Wedemeyer, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Todd Joseph Sweet (Order filed - 4-11-12)		
State of Tennessee v. Todd J. Sweet a/k/a Jamie Lee Turpin E2010-00729-SC-R11-CD	Monroe County Circuit Court Judge Carroll L. Ross No. 08-082	Wedemeyer, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Todd J. Sweet a/k/a Jamie Lee Turpin (Order filed - 4-11-12)		
Paul Whetstone v. State of Tennessee E2010-02333-SC-R11-CO	Jefferson County Circuit Court Judge Jon Kerry Blackwood No. 224581	Witt, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Paul Whetstone (Order filed - 4-11-12)		
<u>Jackson</u>						
ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. v. Southern Security Federal Credit Union	Shelby County Chancery Court	Stafford, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Southern Security Federal Credit Union		

Glenn, J.

Affirmed

Farmer, J.

Affirmed

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Chancellor Walter Evans

Shelby county Criminal

Judge James Lammey

No. CT-003265-07

Shelby County Circuit Court

Judge John R. McCarroll, Jr.

No. CH -06-0802

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Denied - Application of Markese Brooks

Denied - Application of Kendra D. Carter

Walter Leon Cross v. State of Tennessee W2011-00833-SC-R11-PC	Tipton County Circuit Court Judge Joseph H. Walker No. 6343	Ogle, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Walter Leon Cross (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Dr. Pepper Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Dyersburg LLC v. Reagan Farr, Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Revenue W2010-02445-SC-R11-CV	Dyer County Chancery Court Chancellor Tony Childress No. 08-CV-592	Highers, P.J, WS. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Dr. Pepper Pepsi- Cola Bottling Company of Dyersburg LLC (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Charlotte Scott Forbess v. Michael E. Forbess W2011-01105-SC-R11-CV	Tipton County Chancery Court Chancellor James F. Butler No. 25859	Stafford, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Charlotte Scott Forbess (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Tracy Lynn Harris v. State of Tennessee W2011-01578-SC-R11-PC	Carroll County Circuit Court Judge Donald E. Parish No. 20CR1470	Bivins, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Tracy Lynn Harris (The opinion of the Court of Criminal Appeals is designated "Not for Citation" in accordance with Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 4(E)). (Order filed - 4-12-12)
In Re: Morgan R., et al. W2011-01249-SC-R11-JV	Tipton County Circuit Court Judge J. Weber McCraw No. 6668	Highers, P.J. WS Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Misty B. (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Erskine Leroy Johnson v. State of Tennessee W2010-01800-SC-R11-CO	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge John P. Colton, Jr. No. P-29609	Tipton, P.J. Reversed, Vacated and Remanded	Rule 11	Denied - Application of State of Tennessee (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Norris Ray v. State of Tennessee W2010-01675-SC-R11-PC	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge John T. Fowlkes, Jr. No. 02-02917-18	Glenn, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Norris Ray (Order filed -4-12-12)

Michael Vincent Ricco v. State of Tennessee W2010-02626-SC-R11-PC	Henderson County Circuit Court Judge Donald Allen No. 07-131-2	Bivins, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Michael Vincent Ricco (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Keven Scott v. State of Tennessee W2010-02515-SC-R11-PC	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge Paula Skahan No. 06-01965	Bivins, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Keven Scott (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Craig Abston W2010-01231-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge W. Mark Ward No. 02-04759	Smith, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Craig Abston (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Montez Duncan W2010-02263-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge W. Mark Ward No. 08-05732	Ogle, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Montez Duncan (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Marlon McKay W2010-01785-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge James M. Lammey No. 08-07886	Glenn, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Marlon McKay (Order filed - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Connie R. Martin W2011-00409-SC-R11-CD	Gibson County Circuit Court Judge Clayburn Peeples No. 15868 and 15951	McMullen, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Connie R. Martin (Order filed - 4-11-12)
State of Tennessee v. Eric Ricardo Middleton W2010-01427-SC-R11-CD	Madison County Circuit Court Judge Donald H. Allen No. 08-442	Glenn, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Eric Ricardo Middleton (Order filed - 04-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Randall Keith Smith, et al. W2009-02678-SC-R11-CD	Henry County Circuit Court Judge Donald E. Parish No. 14444 & 14446	Williams, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Nicholas Ryan Flood (Order filed - 4-12-12)

State of Tennessee v. Joseph Tipler W2010-01246-C-R11-PC	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge Chris Craft Nos. 96-1426, 27, 28, 29, 30	McMullen, J. Reversed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Joseph Tipler (Order flied - 4-12-12)
State of Tennessee v. Bryan Williams W2009-00306-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge James C. Beasley, Jr. No. 07-03782	Williams, J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Bryan Williams (Order filed - 4-11-12)
Cameron Winselle v. State of Tennessee W2010-02154-SC-R11-PC	Shelby County Criminal Court Judge James M. Lammey No. 04-05193	Witt, Jr., J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Cameron Winselle (Order filed - 4-12-12)
Jeffery Yates v. Tony Parker, Warden and State of Tennessee W2011-00581-SC-R11-HC	Lake County Circuit Court Judge R. Lee Moore, Jr. No. 11-CR-9551	Tipton, P.J. Affirmed	Rule 11	Denied - Application of Jeffery Yates (Order filed - 4-12-12)

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ROBERT JASON BURDICK

Criminal Court for Davidson County
No. 2008-B-1350

No. M2010-00144-SC-R11-CD - Filed: April 11, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the application for permission to appeal of Robert Jason Burdick, and the record before us, the application is granted.

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. CHRISTINE CAUDLE

Circuit Court for Williamson County No. II-CR094394

No. M2010-01172-SC-R11-CD - Filed: April 12, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Tenn. R. App. P. 11 application for permission to appeal filed on behalf of Christine Caudle, and the record before us, the application is granted. The clerk of the Circuit Court for Williamson County is directed to prepare and file with the Clerk of the Appellate Courts, within thirty (30) days following the entry of this order, a supplemental record consisting of the transcript of the hearing regarding the entry of the defendant's guilty plea that occurred on February 8, 2010. The time for filing supplemental briefs shall run from the date of the filing of the supplemental record, rather than the date of the filing of this order. See Tenn R. App. P. 11(f).

The Clerk of the Appellate Courts is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

WALTON CUNNINGHAM ET AL. v. WILLIAMSON COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT ET AL.

No. M2011-00554-SC-S09-CV - Filed: April 11, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Tenn. R. App. P. 11 application for permission to appeal filed on behalf of the Williamson County Hospital District, d/b/a Williamson Medical Center; Karen Christopher, R.N.; Charla Atkins, R.N.; Camela McCullough, C.N.T.; and Cary Ralph, L.P.N., and the record before us, the application is granted.

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

RHEAETTA F. WILSON ET AL. v. AMERICARE SYSTEMS, INC. ET AL.

Circuit Court for Bedford County No. 10204
No. M2011-00240-SC-R11-CV
OPPER

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Tenn. R. App. P. 11 application for permission to appeal filed on behalf of Rheaetta F. Wilson and Lauralyn F. Watson, and the record before us, the application is granted.

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

DANIEL RENTERIA-VILLEGAS ET AL. v. METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE ET AL.

Rule 23 Certified Question of Law from the United States District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee No. 3:11-00218

No. M2011-02423-SC-R23-CQ - Filed: April 12, 2012

ORDER

Pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 23, a certification order was filed in this Court on November 15, 2011, by the United States District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee. Briefs have now been filed pursuant to Section 7, and, upon consideration of the certification order and the briefs filed by the parties, this Court accepts certification of the following question of law:

Does an October 2009 Memorandum of Agreement between the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement and the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, by and through the Davidson County Sheriffs Office, violate the Charter of Nashville and Davidson County or other state law?

Upon consideration of the motion for leave to file amicus brief filed by George E. Barrett, C. Dewey Branstetter, Jr. and Honorable Marietta Shipley and the motion for leave to file amicus brief filed by Tennessee Immigrant and Refugee Rights Coalition, American Civil Liberties Union of Tennessee, Asista Immigration Assistance, the National Center for Victims of Crime, and National Crime Victim Law Institute and the record before us, the motions are granted.

Pursuant to Rule 23, Section 7(b) of the Supreme Court Rules, this Court desires to have oral argument by the parties. This case shall be set for hearing at the Court's June 2012 session in Nashville.

DICK BROADCASTING CO., INC. OF TENNESSEE v. OAK RIDGE FM, INC. ET AL.

Chancery Court for Knox County
No. 1504823

No. E2010-01685-SC-R11-CV - Filed: April 11, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the application for permission to appeal of Dick Broadcasting Company, Inc. of Tennessee, the application for permission to appeal of Oak Ridge FM, Inc., Comcon Consultants, Inc., and John W. Pirkle, and the record before us, the applications are granted.

For the purpose of the filing of briefs, <u>see</u> Tenn. R. App. P. 29, and for the order of oral argument, <u>see</u> Tenn. R. App. P. 35(e), Oak Ridge FM, Inc., Comcon Consultants, Inc., and John W. Pirkle, are deemed to be the appellants and Dick Broadcasting Company, Inc. of Tennessee is deemed to be the appellee. Oak Ridge FM, Inc., Comcon Consultants, Inc., and John W. Pirkle, shall file the appellants' brief addressing the issues presented in their application for permission to appeal. Dick Broadcasting's brief shall respond to the issues raised in the appellants' brief and shall also present Dick Broadcasting's arguments regarding the issue raised in its application for permission to appeal. Thereafter, the appellants may file a brief in reply to Dick Broadcasting's brief, and Dick Broadcasting then may file a brief in reply to the appellants' brief pursuant to Tenn. R. App. P. 27(c).

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

IN RE ESTATE OF THOMAS GRADY CHASTAIN

Chancery Court for Polk County
No. P933

No. E2011-01442-SC-R11-CV - Filed: April 11, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the application for permission to appeal of Adrian Chastain and Trent Chastain and the record before us, the application is granted.

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT JACKSON

MORGAN KEEGAN & COMPANY, INC. v. WILLIAM HAMILTON SMYTHE, III, ET AL

Chancery Court for Shelby County
No. CH-09-2353

No. W2010-01339-SC-R11-CV - Filed: April 11, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of the application for permission to appeal of William Hamilton Smythe, III, et al, and the record before us, the application is granted.

The Clerk is directed to place this matter on the docket for oral argument upon the completion of briefing.