### SUPREME COURT OF KENTUCKY

# ORAL ARGUMENT CALENDAR

#### TO: Justices and Court Staff

FROM: Chief Justice John D. Minton, Jr.

DATE: February 9, 2011

# WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 2011

#### 9:00 a.m. NO ORAL ARGUMENT SCHEDULED

10:00 a.m. JONES V. COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY (2009-SC-221-MR) "Murder – guilty, but mentally ill—25 year sentence—'No duty to retreat' instruction given pursuant to KRS 503.055(3)." Carlisle Circuit Court, Judge Timothy A. Langford For Movant: Erin Hoffman Yang For Respondent: Jason Bradley Moore

#### 11:00 a.m. ST. LUKE HOSPITAL, INC., ET AL. V. STRAUB (2009-SC-027-DG)

"Violation of State Due Process Rights. Statute of Limitations. Issue preclusion. Torts. Issues include: 1. whether KRS 446.070 creates a cause of action for a violation of state constitutional rights; 2. whether federal litigation in a §1983 action precludes state litigation; 3. whether the statute of limitations was observed; 4. whether KRS 413.270 applies; 5. whether the trial court erred by failing to answer jury questions during deliberations; 6. whether the trial court incorrectly admitted evidence of the plaintiffs prior drug and profanity use, and 7. whether the plaintiff is entitled to punitive damages."

Campbell Circuit Court, Judge Fred A. Stine, V

For Movant: Scott M. Powers

For Respondent: Michael Jay O'Hara and Mary Suzanne Cassidy

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# 10:00 a.m. THE DREAMERS, LLC., ET AL. V. DON'S LUMBER & HARDWARE, INC. (2010-SC-227-DG)

"Materialman's Lien. Appellate Procedure. The issue is whether an appeal is properly dismissed when the defendant pays in full the amount owed under the final judgment instead of getting a supersedeas bond." Discretionary Review granted 10/13/2010 Hardin Circuit Court, Judge Charles C. Simms For Movant: Robert C. Bishop For Respondent: Jerry M. Coleman and Ryan Foster Quick

#### 11:00 a.m. ---CANCELLED---LAPOINTE, ETC., ET AL. V. HAWES (2010-SC-033-DG)

"Immunity. Criminal Law. Civil Law. The issues include: 1. is a criminal trial court's finding a defendant is entitled to immunity under KRS 503.085 binding on the civil trial judge, and 2. if the appellate court decides the criminal judge was wrong, can the court reverse in the appeal of the civil case wherein the civil judge adopted the criminal judge's findings and reasonings?" Discretionary Review granted 9/15/2010

Spencer Circuit Court, Judge Thomas McDonald

For Movant: Thomas B. Givhan, John E. Spainhour, Jr., and Michael Egan Krauser

For Respondent: Robert Kenyon Meyer and Stephen Daniel Thompson

# FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 2011

# NO ORAL ARGUMENTS