

**CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS
COLORADO SUPREME COURT
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2019**

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OPINIONS

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[Supreme Court Case No. 16SA256](#)

Appeal from the District Court

Weld County District Court, Water Division 1, Case No. 03CW99

Honorable James F. Hartmann, Water Judge

Concerning the Application for Water Rights of Well Augmentation Subdistrict of the Central Colorado Water Conservancy District and South Platte Well Users Association

Applicants-Appellees:

Well Augmentation Subdistrict of the Central Colorado Water Conservancy District and
South Platte Well Users Association,

v.

Opposer-Appellant:

Centennial Water and Sanitation District,

and

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Opposers-Appellees:

Bijou Irrigation Company; Bijou Irrigation District; Cache La Poudre Water Users Association; City of Aurora; City of Black Hawk; City of Boulder; City and County of Denver acting by and through its Board of Water Commissioners; City of Englewood; City of Greeley acting by and through its Water and Sewer Board; City of Sterling; City of Thornton; City of Westminster; Ducommun Business Trust; East Cherry Creek Valley Water and Sanitation District; Farmers Reservoir and Irrigation Company; Fort Morgan Reservoir and Irrigation Company; Harmony Ditch Company; Henrylyn Irrigation District; Irrigationists' Association, Water District 1; Jackson Lake Reservoir and Irrigation Company; Lower Latham Reservoir Company; Lupton Bottom Ditch Company; Lupton Meadows Ditch Company; New Cache La Poudre Irrigating Company; Cache La Poudre Reservoir Company; North Poudre Irrigation Company; Pawnee Well Users, Inc.; Public Service Company of Colorado; Riverside Irrigation District; Riverside Reservoir and Land Company; South Adams County Water and Sanitation District; State Engineer and Division Engineer; United Water and Sanitation District; and Westfarm, LLC,

and concerning

Appellee Pursuant to C.A.R. 1(e):

David Nettles, Division Engineer, Water Division 1.

Judgment Affirmed

en banc

CHIEF JUSTICE COATS delivered the Opinion of the Court.

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Supreme Court Case No. 18SA224

Original Proceeding Pursuant to C.A.R. 21
Mesa County District Court Case No. 18CR772
Honorable Gretchen Larson, Judge

In Re

Plaintiff:

The People of the State of Colorado,

v.

Defendant:

Elizabeth Renee Tafoya.

Rule Made Absolute

en banc

JUSTICE GABRIEL delivered the Opinion of the Court.

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PETITIONS FOR REHEARING

2019 CO 8

Supreme Court Case No. 17SC312
Certiorari to the Colorado Court of Appeals
Court of Appeals Case No. 15CA724

Petitioners/Cross-Respondents:

Patric J. Lehouillier and LeHouillier & Associates, P.C.,

v.

Respondent/Cross-Petitioner:

Della Gallegos.

Petition for Rehearing DENIED. EN BANC.

ORIGINAL PROCEEDING

[19SA22, In Re: N.A. Rugby v. Rugby International](#)

Boulder County District Court Case No. 18CV30533

Order to Show Cause issued on February 11, 2019

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DENIED PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

No. 18SC70, Court of Appeals Case No. 14CA1047

Petitioner:

Jasim Mohammed Hassi Ramadan,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC310, Court of Appeals Case No. 17CA293

Petitioner/Cross-Respondent:

Jonah Wexler,

v.

Respondent/Cross-Petitioner:

Honorable Ramsey Lama.

Petition and Cross-Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC478, Court of Appeals Case No. 17CA462

Petitioners:

Sam's West Inc. an Arkansas corporation and Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., a Delaware corporation,

v.

Respondents:

Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority and State of Colorado Department of Revenue.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC481, Court of Appeals Case No. 15CA1075

Petitioner:

John David Deford,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

JUSTICE GABRIEL does not participate.

COLORADO SUPREME COURT CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

No. 18SC493, El Paso County District Court Case No. 17CV31352

Petitioner:

Henry Bessette,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC655, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1749

Petitioner:

Orlando Cobillas Guevara, Jr.,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC733, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1216

Petitioner:

Gordon R. Reuell, II,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC736, Court of Appeals Case No. 17CA256

Petitioners:

Battle Mountain Limited Liability Company; Sensible Housing Company, Inc.; and
Battle Mountain Corporation,

v.

Respondents:

Ginn Battle Lender, LLC and Wells Fargo Bank NA.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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No. 18SC758, Court of Appeals Case No. 17CA1063

Petitioner:

Kristarlin Douglas Hetrick,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC778, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1173

Petitioner:

Robert Frank Minnifield,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC790, Court of Appeals Case No. 14CA823

Petitioner:

Kurt Alan Kristl,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC837, Court of Appeals Case No. 17CA1852

Petitioners:

County of Douglas and Kristin Lanier,

v.

Respondent:

Sharon Nelson.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

COLORADO SUPREME COURT CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

No. 18SC848, Court of Appeals Case No. 15CA1713

Petitioner:

Eric Dwight Davis,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC878, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1698

Petitioner:

Devante T. Lance,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC898, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1259

Petitioner:

Jasmine Renee Heald,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 18SC899, Court of Appeals Case No. 16CA1349

Petitioner:

Lane Alan Dunseth,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

COLORADO SUPREME COURT CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

No. 19SC33, Court of Appeals Case No. 18CA311

Petitioner:

R. T.,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado,

In the Interest of Minor Child:

M. L. T.,

and Concerning

B. S.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.
