

In the
Supreme Court of Ohio

MELISA ARBINO, : Case No. 2006-1212
: :
Plaintiff-Petitioner, : On Review of Certified Question from the
: : United States District Court, Northern
v. : District of Ohio, Western Division
: :
JOHNSON & JOHNSON, *et al.*, : District Court Case
: : No. 1:05-CV-534
: :
Defendants-Respondents. :

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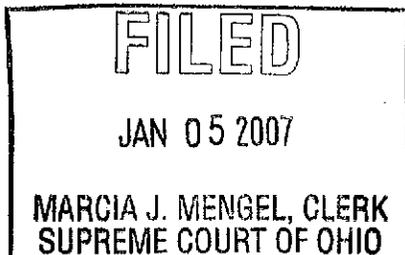
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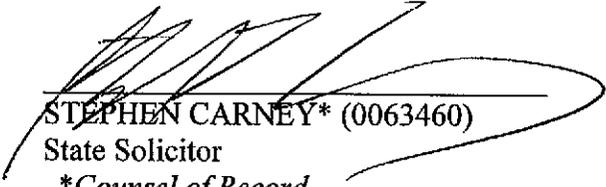
**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF CO-COUNSEL FOR
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Respondent State of Ohio hereby notifies the Court and all parties in the case that former State Solicitor Douglas R. Cole is no longer co-counsel in this case. Mr. Cole left the Ohio Attorney General's office on October 13, 2006, and has not engaged in any representation of Respondent since that date.

Respondent State of Ohio further notifies the Court and all parties in the case that former Assistant Attorney General Holly Hunt is no longer co-counsel in this case. Ms. Hunt left the Attorney General's office on December 15, 2006, and has not engaged in any representation of Respondent since that date.

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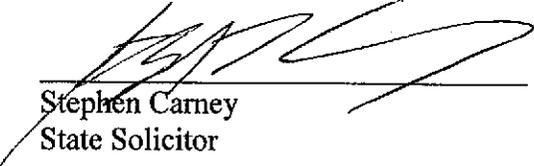
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