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Re: *Board of Education of the Columbus City Schools and Board of Education of the South-Western City Schools v. Franklin County Board of Revision, Franklin County Auditor and Max E. Cougill*, Case No. 07-1086

Dear Mr. Stehle:

The above-named case is scheduled for oral argument on Tuesday, March 25, 2008. Pursuant to S. Ct. Prac. R. IX, Section 3, a party who does not file a merit brief in compliance with S. Ct. Prac. R. VI, Section 2 or Section 3, is deemed to have waived oral argument. Since a merit brief was not filed on behalf of the party you are representing, you are not permitted to argue the case.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (614) 387-9540.

Sincerely,


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