

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

STATE OF OHIO, :
Plaintiff-Appellant/Cross-Appellee, : Case No. **08-0348**
-vs- :
PATRICK L. LEONARD, : **This is a capital case.**
Defendant-Appellee/Cross-Appellant. :

APPEAL FROM THE COURT OF APPEALS, FIRST APPELLATE DISTRICT,
HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO
APP. NO.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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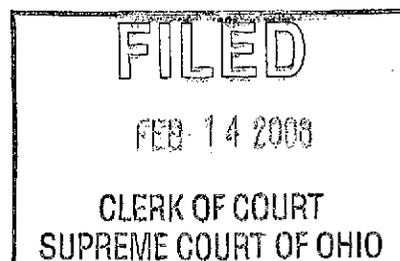
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Appellant Patrick L. Leonard hereby gives notice appeal to the Supreme Court of Ohio from the judgment of the Hamilton County Court of Appeals, First Appellate District, entered in Court of Appeals Case No. C-061025 on December 31, 2007.

This case involves the affirmance of Patrick Leonard's Post-Conviction Appeal, in which he sought relief from his convictions and sentences. Patrick Leonard now claims an appeal of right as this case involves the death penalty, raises substantial constitutional questions, and involves a felony. See Sup. Ct. R. Prac. II, Sections 1(A)(1), (2) and (3).

Respectfully submitted,

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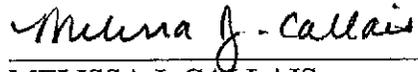
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing **NOTICE OF APPEAL** was sent via regular first class U.S. mail to the office of Ronald W. Springman Jr., Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, 230 E. Ninth St., Suite 4000, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 on this 14th day of February, 2008.



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