

ORIGINAL

NO. 2010-0985

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

APPEAL FROM
THE COURT OF APPEALS FOR CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO
NO. 93460

ANDRIENNE K. PULA-BRANCH

Appellee

-vs-

RUBY K. PULA, et. al.,

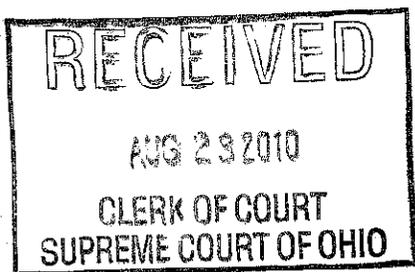
Appellant

MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

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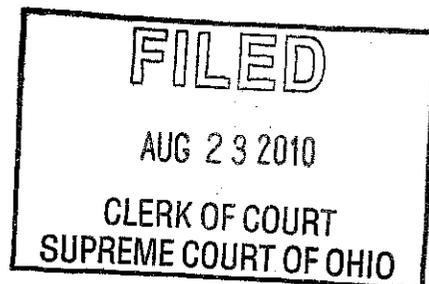
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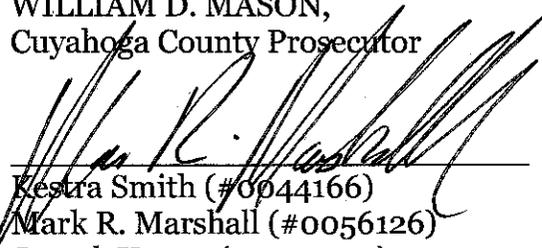
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Now come Appellants by and through its counsel, asking that should this honorable Court grant jurisdiction to hear both *Sandra Pendergraft, et al., v. Michael William Watts*, Case No. 2010-1340 and this matter, that the two cases be consolidated. Appellant asserts that the determinative issues in both cases are virtually identical: that is, whether the Cuyahoga County Domestic Relations Court has subject matter jurisdiction to hear interstate cases involving unmarried parties. Further, the Eighth District Court of Appeal's decision to vacate and remand in *Pendergraft* resulted directly because of the Eighth District's decision in this case.

Therefore, for the sake of clarity and judicial economy, it is requested that these two cases be consolidated and heard together, with the same due dates for all filings.

Respectfully submitted,

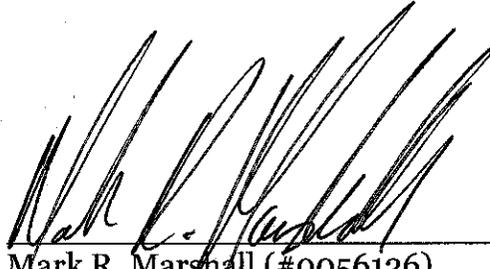
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing Motion to Consolidate has been mailed this 20th day of August, 2010 to Andrienne K. Pula-Branch, 3010 West 115th Street, Apt. 1, Cleveland, Ohio 44111.



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