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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

PNC BANK, N.A., TRUSTEE OF
THE LEONARD G. STEUER TRUST,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

vs.

LOREN N. COUPLIN, et al.,

Defendant-Appellees

CASE NO.

15-1495

On Appeal from the Cuyahoga
County Court of Appeals, Eighth
Appellate District

Court of Appeals Case
Number: CA 102813

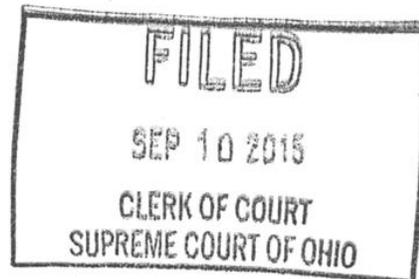
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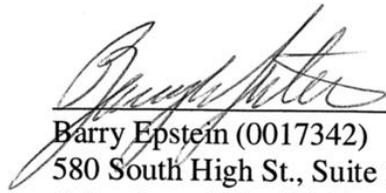
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Leilani Hingada, the Appellant, by and through counsel, gives notice of her appeal pursuant to S.Ct. Prac. R. 5.01(A)(3), from a Journal Entry of the Court of Appeals for Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Eighth District, entered on July 29, 2015, in its case number CA-15-102813, known as PNC Bank, N.A., Trustee of the Leonard G. Steuer Trust vs. Loren Couplin, et al.

This case is one which raises an issue of first impression in Ohio and is therefore one of public or great general interest. Additionally, the appellate court's denial of the Appellant's appeal also raises a question of public or great general interest because it denied the appellant her right to due process and violated Ohio Rules of Appellate Procedure and long-standing Ohio Supreme Court precedent. The trial court improperly awarded summary judgment in the case while acknowledging in the same Order that there was no Ohio case law on point as it was an issue of first impression. The appellate court then refused to hear the appeal based on a procedural error. The appellate court's decision was in direct violation of the Ohio Rule of Appellate Procedure 4(C). The appellate court's erroneous decision has created a fundamental injustice for the Appellant by denying her appeal in violation of the Appellant's right to due process guaranteed by the United States and Ohio Constitutions.

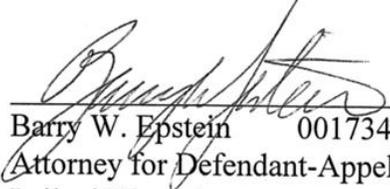
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Appeal of Defendant - Appellant Leilani Hingada was served upon Jeannette M. Weaver, Attorney for PNC Bank, N.A., Trustee of the Leonard G. Steuer Trust, 8748 Brecksville Road, Suite 200, Brecksville, Ohio 44141; Angela Carlin and Karen A. Davey, Attorneys for Defendant Loren Couplin, WESTIN, HURD, LLP, 1301 East Ninth Street, Suite 1900, Cleveland, Ohio 44114; and Aaron Couplin, 14640 Friar St., Apt. 14, Van Nuys, CA, 91411 by regular U.S. Mail this 10 day of July, 2015.


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