The Supreme Court of Ohio

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State of Ohio

v.

Case No. 2015-0473

Jermain Thomas

NOTICE OF ORAL ARGUMENT

TO: Daniel T. Van

Russell S. Bensing

The Supreme Court of Ohio will hold an oral argument on the merits in this case on Tuesday, April 5, 2016. Time allowed for oral argument will be 15 minutes per side.

Attorneys who argue before the court must comply with the provisions of Rule 17.03 through 17.05 of the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court of Ohio and the instructions that follow. Pursuant to Rule 17.03, counsel for either or both parties may waive oral argument and submit the case upon briefs. The Clerk must be notified by filing a waiver of oral argument at least seven days before the date scheduled for the oral argument.

Court convenes promptly at 9 a.m. Counsel in all cases are expected to be present when court convenes. Counsel must register with the Chief Deputy Clerk **prior to 8:45 a.m.** at the information desk outside the Courtroom on the first floor of the Ohio Judicial Center.

For more information on protocol for presenting oral argument before the Supreme Court of Ohio, counsel may refer to the "Guide for Counsel Presenting Oral Argument" located at www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/clerk.

Note: Pursuant to S.Ct.Prac.R. 17.01(D), assignments in the Supreme Court take precedence over other assignments.

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