GREATER DAYTON REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, APPELLANT, v. STATE EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD ET AL., APPELLEES. [Cite as Greater Dayton Regional Transit Auth. v. State Emp. Relations Bd.,

147 Ohio St.3d 359, 2016-Ohio-7559.]

Appeal dismissed as having been improvidently accepted.

(No. 2015-1205—Submitted August 17, 2016—Decided November 2, 2016.)

APPEAL from the Court of Appeals for Franklin County, No. 14AP-876, 2015-Ohio-2049.

{¶ **1}** The cause is dismissed as having been improvidently accepted.

O'CONNOR, C.J., and PFEIFER, O'DONNELL, LANZINGER, and O'NEILL, JJ., concur.

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KENNEDY and FRENCH, JJ., dissent.

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Fishel Hass Kim Albrecht, L.L.P., and Marc A. Fishel, urging reversal for amicus curiae Ohio Public Transit Association.

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