

BEECHER ET AL., APPELLEES, v. OHIO STATE HOME SERVICES, INC., APPELLANT.

[Cite as *Beecher v. Ohio State Home Serv., Inc.* (1998), ___ Ohio St.3d ____.]

Arbitration — Enforcing arbitration agreement — Requirement to defeat motion for stay brought pursuant to R.C. 2711.02.

(No. 98-120 — Submitted April 21, 1998 — Decided May 13, 1998.)

CERTIFIED by the Court of Appeals for Summit County, No. 18439.

Javitch, Block, Eisen & Rathbone, Kenneth B. Baker and Michael D. Slodov, for appellant.

The court of appeals, finding its judgment to be in conflict with the judgment of the Court of Appeals for Cuyahoga County in *Krafcik v. USA Energy Consultants, Inc.* (1995), 107 Ohio App.3d 59, 667 N.E.2d 1027, certified the record to this court for review and final determination.

The judgment of the court of appeals is reversed on the authority of *ABM Farms, Inc. v. Woods* (1998), 81 Ohio St.3d 498, 692 N.E.2d 574.

MOYER, C.J., DOUGLAS, RESNICK, F.E. SWEENEY, PFEIFER, COOK and LUNDBERG STRATTON, JJ., concur.