

**DILLARD ET AL., APPELLEES, v. CLEVELAND METROPOLITAN SCHOOL
DISTRICT ET AL., APPELLANTS.**

**[Cite as *Dillard v. Cleveland Metro. School Dist.*,
131 Ohio St.3d 371, 2012-Ohio-1223.]**

*Discretionary appeal accepted, court of appeals' judgment vacated, and cause
remanded for application of DiGiorgio v. Cleveland.*

(No. 2011-1957—Submitted March 21, 2012—Decided March 27, 2012.)

APPEAL from the Court of Appeals for Cuyahoga County, No. 97195.

{¶ 1} The discretionary appeal is accepted on Proposition of Law I.

{¶ 2} The judgment of the court of appeals is vacated, and the cause is remanded to the court of appeals for application of the Eighth District's en banc decision in *DiGiorgio v. Cleveland*, 196 Ohio App.3d 575, 2011-Ohio-5824, 964 N.E.2d 495.

O'CONNOR, C.J., and PFEIFER, LUNDBERG STRATTON, O'DONNELL, LANZINGER, CUPP, and MCGEE BROWN, JJ., concur.

Bashein & Bashein Co., L.P.A., and W. Craig Bashein; and Paul W. Flowers Co., L.P.A., and Paul W. Flowers, for appellees, Ni-Asia Dillard and Nur-Ur-Din Dillard.

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