Supreme Court of Florida

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 2018

CASE NO.: SC18-1287 Lower Tribunal No(s).: 1D18-3260; 372018CA001114XXXXXX

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, ETC., ET AL.

vs. FLORIDA GREYHOUND ASSOCIATION, INC., ETC., ET

AL.

Petitioner(s)

Respondent(s)

The First District Court of Appeal has certified, pursuant to article V, section 3(b)(5) of the Constitution of Florida, that the trial court passes upon a question of great public importance requiring immediate resolution by this Court. We accept jurisdiction.

Briefs must be served as follows: Petitioners' brief on the merits must be served on or before Wednesday, August 15, 2018; Respondents' answer brief on the merits must be served no later than 12:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 21, 2018; and Petitioners' reply brief on the merits must be served no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, August 24, 2018.

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County, Florida must file the original record which must be properly indexed and paginated on or before Friday, August 10, 2018.

CANADY, C.J., and PARIENTE, LEWIS, QUINCE, POLSTON, LABARGA, and LAWSON, JJ., concur.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 29, 2018, with a maximum of twenty minutes to the side allowed for the argument. NO CONTINUANCES WILL BE GRANTED EXCEPT UPON A SHOWING OF EXTREME HARDSHIP.

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