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In the Supreme Court of the United States

PHILIP H. SANDERSON,

Petitioner,

V.

HCA-THE HEALTHCARE COMPANY; COLUMBIA HEALTH CARE CORPORATION; HOSPITAL CORPORATION OF AMERICA; and HEALTHTRUST INC.,

Respondents.

On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit

PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTIONS PRESENTED FOR REVIEW

- 1. Whether the heightened pleadings requirement of Rule 9(b) requires a qui tam plaintiff to specifically describe more than the fraudulent accounting scheme underlying a series of continuous and ongoing false hospital cost reports which inflates the defendants' ongoing claims for reimbursement from the government?
- 2. Whether false claims submitted within the period of limitations, but based upon a fraudulent accounting scheme developed outside the limitations, but still in use, are time barred?

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Supreme Court of the United States

VALERI BARNES,

Petitioner,

v.

THE STATE OF COLORADO,

Respondent.

On Petition For A Writ of Certiorari
To The Colorado Supreme Court

PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTION PRESENTED

Is the Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution prohibiting involuntary servitude violated when a state court engrafts an exception to the plain wording of the Amendment, allegedly pursuant to its abterent powers." to compel petitioner, a former court reporter, to continue a state in the complex against her will two years after her resignation as a state employee under penalty of jail by remedial contempt if she refuses?

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IN THE

Supreme Court of the United States

LYNN STUTER, BYRD STUTER and MONICA STUTER,

Petitioners,

ν.

STEVENS COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT,

Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTIONS PRESENTED

- Does this Supreme Court's decision in DeShaney v. Winnebago County Dept. of Social Services, 489 U.S. 189 (1989) preclude municipal liability under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 if a citizen exercising First Amendment expression seeks police protection against criminal harassment directed at the citizen for the exercise of those rights, and law enforcement's response not only fails to protect constitutional rights, but increases the danger to the citizens for exercising said rights?
- Does this Supreme Court's ruling in DeShaney v. Winnebago County Dept. of Social Services, alter this court's longstanding holdings in Monell v. New York City Dept. of Social Services, 436 U.S. 658 (1978), and City of Canton, Ohio v. Harris, 489 U.S. 378 (1989), which allow for 42 U.S.C. § 1983 liability against a municipality where that municipality's policy of inaction results in deliberate indifference to, and failure to protect, constitutional rights of citizens with whom law enforcement comes into contact?
- If an affirmative municipal policy of nonenforcement of criminal law against criminal perpetrators is evidenced, while law enforcement simultaneously limits a citizen from protecting themselves from harassors, may a citizen claim a due process violation and damages under 42 U.S.C. § 1983?

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In the

Supreme Court of the United States

JOHN DREBICK and JANE DOE DREBICK, husband and wife, d/b/a DREBICK INVESTMENTS,

Petitioners,

v.

CITY OF OLYMPIA, a Washington code city,

Respondent.

On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Supreme Court of Washington

PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTIONS PRESENTED

- 1. May a local government avoid the "nexus" and "rough proportionality" tests of *Nollan v. California Coastal Commission*, 483 U.S. 825 (1987), and *Dolan v. City of Tigard*, 512 U.S. 374 (1994), by imposing development exactions in the form of "impact" fees?
- 2. May a local government avoid the "nexus" and "rough proportionality" tests of *Nollan v. California Coastal Commission*, 483 U.S. 825 (1987), and *Dolan v. City of Tigard*, 512 U.S. 374 (1994), by imposing development exactions by legislative enactment?

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In The

Supreme Court of the United States

DANTA DAVIS,

Petitioner,

v.

DENNIS STRAUB, Warden,

Respondent.

On Petition For Writ Of Certiorari To The United States Court Of Appeals For The Sixth Circuit

PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTION PRESENTED FOR REVIEW

DID THE SIXTH CIRCUIT APPLY AN EXTREMELY NARROW STANDARD OF REVIEW UNDER 28 U.S.C. § 2254(d)(1) REGARDING WHAT CONSTITUTES "CLEARLY ESTABLISHED FEDERAL LAW" CONTRARY TO SUPREME COURT JURISPRUDENCE, AN ISSUE ON WHICH THERE IS CONFLICT IN THE DECISIONS OF THE COURTS OF APPEAL, AND HAD THE CORRECT STANDARD BEEN APPLIED THE WRIT WOULD HAVE BEEN GRANTED?

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In The

Supreme Court of the United States

WAYNE SHATLEY,

Petitioner,

versus

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

On Petition For A Writ Of Certiorari To The United States Court Of Appeals For The Fourth Circuit

PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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QUESTION PRESENTED FOR REVIEW¹

I.

Whether the Federal Sentencing Guidelines, by permitting sentencing judges to impose enhanced sentences based upon their determination of facts not found by the jury, or admitted by the defendant, violate the Fifth and Sixth Amendments to the United States Constitution.

The names of all parties to this proceeding appear in the caption.

See Rule 14.1(b) of the Supreme Court Rules.

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No.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

JURY SERVICE RESOURCE CENTER.
DAVID SHANNON, AND
ROBERT PAUL LANGLEY, Jr.,

Petitioners,

v.

STATE OF OREGON, ET AL

Respondents.

On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the Supreme Court of Oregon

PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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CAPITAL CASE

In 2001, the Oregon legislature enacted a statute that made state court jury lists "confidential" and forbade a court from allowing the public, including all prospective jurors and some litigants facing a jury trial, from inspecting the lists. Under the statute, only those litigants facing a jury trial who already had facts to aver a prima face case of jury system error, and who had filed a challenge supported by those facts, could ask to see the jury lists. Petitioners - - a non profit organization studying a state circuit court's jury system, a prospective juror, and a death penalty defendant who lacked facts to aver a prima facie case - - filed a declaratory judgment action seeking standing and an opportunity to inspect the lists under the First, Sixth, Ninth and Fourteenth Amendments (Due Process and Equal Protection Clauses). The court below denied their requests for access to the lists, upholding the statute against Petitioners' federal constitutional challenges.

QUESTIONS PRESENTED

- 1. Whether a state may deprive persons of standing for the opportunity to vindicate their federal statutory and constitutional rights pertaining to state court jury service, consistent with the First, Sixth, Ninth and Fourteenth Amendments to the U.S. Constitution.
- 2. Whether a state may burden a person's right to standing and opportunity to vindicate federal jury-related rights by requiring the person to file a sworn prima facie case of jury system error before allowing the person to inspect the state court jury lists for evidence of a violation of 18 U.S.C. 243, or of the Sixth or Fourteenth Amendments, consistent with the First, Sixth, Ninth and Fourteenth Amendments to the U.S. Constitution.