



Tennessee Supreme Court
DISCRETIONARY APPEALS
Grants & Denials List
June 16, 2025 - June 20, 2025

GRANTS

Style/Appeal Number	County/Trial Judge/ Trial Court No.	Intermediate Court	Supreme Court Action
<u>Knoxville</u>			
VIRGINIA CURTIS EX REL BRUCE ALLEN CURTIS v. TIFFANY L. SHARP ET AL. E2023-01583-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court William T Ailor 2-287-21	Davis, Kristi M.: Affirm in Part	GRANTED - Application of Virginia Curtis; Order filed 06/20/2025 (copy attached)
PRESTON GARNER ET AL. v. SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION ET AL. E2024-00100-SC-R11-CV	Blount County Circuit Court David Reed Duggan L-21220	Davis, Kristi M.: Affirm in Part	GRANTED - Application of the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, Christy Peters, the Southern Baptist Convention and the Credentials Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention and Motions for Leave to File a Brief as Amicus Curiae; DENIED - Motion to Strike the Application of the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention and Christy Peters; Order filed 06/20/2025 (copy attached)

Jackson

SHIRLEY BUCKLEY ET AL. v. JACKSON RADIOLOGY ASSOCIATES, P.A. ET AL. W2023-01777-SC-R11-CV	Madison County Circuit Court Donald H. Allen C-16-210	Armstrong, Kenny W.: Vacate	GRANTED – Application of West Tennessee Medical Group, Inc., Jackson Radiology Associates, P.A., Timothy Ray Crossett, M.D., Thomas Channing Head, M.D., and John W. Neblett, Jr., M.D.; Order filed 6/20/25 (copy attached)
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JAMES R. HOLLEY W2024-00748-SC-R11-CD	Henderson County Circuit Court Donald H. Allen 23-241-2	Campbell Sr., John W.: Dismiss	GRANTED - Application of James R. Holley; Order filed 06/20/2025 (copy attached)
BRENDA SANDS v. ROBERT WILLIARD ET AL W2024-00772-SC-R11-CV	Shelby County Circuit Court Gina C. Higgins CT-4859-20	Usman, Jeffrey: Affirm	GRANTED - Application of City of Germantown, TN; Order filed 06/20/2025 (copy attached)

DENIALS

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<u>Nashville</u>			

HOWARD LEVY v. JAMES FRANKS ET AL. M2022-00231-SC-R11-CV	Williamson County Chancery Court Deanna B. Johnson 44563	Clement Jr., Frank G.: Affirm in Part	DENIED - Application of Howard Levy; Order filed 06/18/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JOSEPH RAY DANIELS M2023-00158-SC-R11-CD	Dickson County Circuit Court David D. Wolfe 22CC-2018-CR-263	McMullen, Camille R.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Joseph Ray Daniels; Order filed 06/18/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JAMES ALLEN WORLEY M2023-00867-SC-R11-CD	Grundy County Circuit Court Justin C. Angel 2019-CR-6286	Hixson, Kyle A.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of James Allen Worley; Order filed 06/18/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. RICHARD FAULK M2023-01218-SC-R11-CD	Maury County Circuit Court Christopher V. Sockwell 27055	McMullen, Camille R.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Richard Thomas Faulk; Order filed 06/20/2025
KATHERINE POLING ROBESON v. TRAVIS WILSON ROBESON M2023-01449-SC-R11-CV	Williamson County Chancery Court Michael Binkley 20CV-49972	Clement Jr., Frank G.: Affirm in Part	DENIED - Application of Katherine Poling Robeson; Order filed 06/18/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. TIMOTHY EUGENE SANDERS M2024-00076-SC-R11-CD	Davidson County Criminal Court Cheryl A. Blackburn 2023-A-381	Easter, Timothy L.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Timothy Sanders; Order filed 06/20/2025
QUESHAN BROOKS v. STATE OF TENNESSEE M2024-00198-SC-R11-PC	Davidson County Criminal Court Steve R. Dozier 2018-C-1604	Wedemeyer, Robert W.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Queshan Brooks; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. KEION HAYES M2024-00352-SC-R11-CD	Sumner County Criminal Court Dee David Gay 83CC1-2021-CR-45	Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Keion Hayes; Order filed 06/18/2025
TATUM M. CAMPBELL v. T.C. RESTAURANT GROUP, LLC ET AL. M2024-00362-SC-R11-CV	Davidson County Circuit Court Clifton David Briley 21C382	Usman, Jeffrey: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Tatum M. Campbell; Order filed 06/18/2025

DONALD K. MOORE, JR. v. STATE OF TENNESSEE M2024-00547-SC-R11-PC	Davidson County Criminal Court Angelita Blackshear Dalton 96-C-1423, 96-C-1428	Holloway Jr., Robert L.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Donald K. Moore, Jr. and Motion Seeking Leave to Proceed as an Indigent Person on Appeal; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. WILLIAM CONNOR READ M2024-00821-SC-R11-CD	Robertson County Circuit Court Robert Bateman 74CC2-2020-CR-96, 74CC4- 2019-CR-156A	Dyer, J. Ross: Dismiss	DENIED - Application of William Connor Read; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. SCOTT ALAN HAYNES, JR. M2024-00851-SC-R11-CD	Montgomery County Circuit Court William R. Goodman, III CC-2021-CR-742	Campbell Sr., John W.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Scott Alan Haynes, Jr.; Order filed 06/20/2025
<u>Knoxville</u>			
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. KENDRICK S. RODGERS E2023-01503-SC-R11-CD	Knox County Criminal Court G. Scott Green 116829	Hixson, Kyle A.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Kendrick S. Rodgers; Order filed 06/20/2025

DALLAS K. HURLEY, JR. v. RYAN B. PICKENS ET AL. E2023-01610-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court Deborah C. Stevens 3-470-16	Bennett, Andy D.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Dallas K. Hurley, Jr.; Order filed 06/20/2025
BUILDERS FIRSTSOURCE, INC. ET AL. v. AXIS DYNAMICS, INC. ET AL. E2023-01702-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court E. Jerome Melson 1-63-23	Armstrong, Kenny W.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Russell L Egli; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. DALE STEVEN WHITE E2024-00277-SC-R11-CD	Knox County Criminal Court Hector Sanchez 121821, 122061, 122062	Thomas Jr., D. Kelly: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Dale Steven White and Motion for Appointment of Counsel; STRICKEN - Pro Se Application filed by Dale Steven White; Order filed 06/20/2025
WILLIAM JOSEPH ROBINETTE ET AL. v TINA ROBINETTE ET AL. E2024-00301-SC-R11-CV	Sullivan County (Kingsport) Chancery Court William K. Rogers 21-CK-43201	Swiney, D. Michael: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Jody Virginia Lynn Stewart, Delores Lee Robinette Reynolds, and William Joseph Robinette; Order filed 06/20/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. GROVER BEVERLY
E2024-00484-SC-R11-CD

Sevier County Circuit Court
James L. Gass
CR-26488-II

Thomas Jr., D. Kelly: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Grover
Wendell Beverly, III;

Order filed 06/20/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. BERNARD STROWDER
E2024-00537-SC-R11-CD

Knox County Criminal Court
Hector Sanchez
125931

Greenholtz, Tom: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Bernard
Latrial Strowder;

Order filed 06/20/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ROBERT DAVID
MORSE
E2024-00580-SC-R11-CD

Cumberland County Criminal Court
Gary McKenzie
2020-CR-280

Wedemeyer, Robert W.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Robert
David Morse;

Order filed 06/20/2025

MARCELLE ANTONIO TATUM v. LESLIE D.
TATUM (HENDERSON)
E2024-00655-SC-R11-CV

Hamilton County Circuit Court
John B Bennett
23-D-152

Davis, Kristi M.: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Leslie D.
Tatum (Henderson);

Order filed 06/18/2025

CAROL MUSZIK ET AL. v. ODLE AND YOUNG ARCHITECTS INC. E2025-00084-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court E. Jerome Melson 1-61-21	Per Curiam: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of Carol Muszik and Jerry Muszik; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. CHARLES MONROE MCMILLAN E2025-00091-SC-R11-CO	Knox County Criminal Court Steven Wayne Sword 126807	Greenholtz, Tom, Hixson, Kyle A., Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of Charles Monroe McMillan; Order filed 06/20/2025
<u>Jackson</u>			
JASHUN ANTRAVIOUS JARRETT v. STATE OF TENNESSEE W2023-01636-SC-R11-PC	Madison County Circuit Court Donald H. Allen C-23-237	Wilson, Matthew J.: Dismiss	DENIED - Application of Jashun Antravious Jarrett; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. TERRION AVANTAE JONES W2024-00027-SC-R11-CD	Madison County Circuit Court Joseph T. Howell 23-94	Dyer, J. Ross: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Terrion Avantae Jones; Order filed 06/20/2025
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. TERRELL SHANNON W2024-00174-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Lee V. Coffee 17-01789	Ayers, Jill Bartee: Dismiss	DENIED - Application of Terrell Shannon and pro se Motion for New Trial; Order filed 06/20/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. GARY ALLEN JORDAN,
JR.
W2024-00462-SC-R11-CD

Madison County Circuit Court
Joseph T. Howell
21-202

Wilson, Matthew J.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Gary
Allen Jordan;

Order filed 06/20/2025

MARLON MCKAY v. BRANDON WATWOOD,
WARDEN
W2024-00550-SC-R11-HC

Lake County Circuit Court
Mark L. Hayes
24-CR-10970

Dyer, J. Ross: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Marlon
McKay;

Order filed 06/20/2025

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. DAVARIOUS
MONTRAL TAYLOR
W2024-00560-SC-R11-CD

Tipton County Circuit Court
A. Blake Neill
10734

Dyer, J. Ross: Affirm

DENIED - Application of
Davarius Montral Taylor;

Order filed 06/20/2025