



Tennessee Supreme Court  
**DISCRETIONARY APPEALS**  
Grants & Denials List  
June 17, 2024 - June 21, 2024

**GRANTS**

<b>Style/Appeal Number</b>	<b>County/Trial Judge/ Trial Court No.</b>	<b>Intermediate Court</b>	<b>Supreme Court Action</b>
<b><u>Knoxville</u></b>			
KENDALL COLLIER EX REL CHAYCE C. v. PERICULIS ROUSSIS, M.D. ET AL. E2022-00636-SC-R11-CV	Knox County Circuit Court William T Ailor 2-562-12	Swiney, D. Michael: Reverse	GRANTED - Application of Fort Sanders Regional Medical Center, Periclis Roussis, and Fort Sanders Perinatal Center;  Order filed 06/21/2024 (copy attached)

**DENIALS**

<b>Style/Appeal Number</b>	<b>County/Trial Judge/ Trial Court No.</b>	<b>Intermediate Court</b>	<b>Supreme Court Action</b>
<b><u>Nashville</u></b>			
BRANDON VANDENBERG v. STATE OF TENNESSEE M2022-01548-SC-R11-PC	Davidson County Criminal Court Monte Watkins 2015-C-1517	Hixson, Kyle A.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Brandon Vandenburg;  Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. DANNY R. WELD-  
EBANKS  
M2022-01665-SC-R11-CD

Davidson County Criminal Court  
Barry R. Tidwell  
2019-C-2194

Easter, Timothy L.: Remand

DENIED - Application of Danny  
Romario Weld-Ebanks;  
  
Order filed 06/20/2024

BOBBY V. SUMMERS v. STATE OF TENNESSEE  
M2023-00103-SC-R11-PC

Davidson County Criminal Court  
Angelita Blackshear Dalton  
2018-B-885

Holloway Jr., Robert L.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Bobby V.  
Summers and Request for  
Appointment of Counsel;  
  
Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ADAM JANES  
M2023-00112-SC-R11-CD

Rutherford County Circuit Court  
(CRIMINAL)  
Barry R. Tidwell  
83071

Hixson, Kyle A.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Adam  
Janes;  
  
Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JEFFREY CLAY DALE  
M2023-00167-SC-R11-CD

Maury County Circuit Court  
Russell Parkes  
28749

Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Jeffrey  
Clay Dale;  
  
Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. CECIL CEMONTAIE BURNICE M2023-00793-SC-R11-CD	Montgomery County Circuit Court William R. Goodman, III CC-16-CR-526	Holloway Jr., Robert L.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Cecil Cemontaie Burnice;  Order filed 06/20/2024
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ANTWAIN TAPAIGE SALES M2023-00948-SC-R11-CD	Bedford County Circuit Court Forest A. Durard, Jr. 16157, 16158	Witt Jr., James Curwood: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Antwain Tapaige Sales;  Order filed 06/20/2024
TERRANCE REESE v. FRANK STRADA, WARDEN M2023-00961-SC-R11-HC	Trousdale County Circuit Court Michael Wayne Collins 2022-CV-4983	Easter, Timothy L.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Terrance Reese;  GRANTED - Motion to Proceed as a Poor Person;  Order filed 06/20/2024
SHANNON MAYES v. STATE OF TENNESSEE M2023-01760-SC-R11-PC	Wayne County Circuit Court Russell Parkes 12596	Ayers, Jill Bartee, Easter, Timothy L., Wedemeyer, Robert W.: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of Shannon Mayes;  Order filed 06/21/2024

RONALLEN HARDY v. STATE OF TENNESSEE M2024-00109-SC-R11-PC	Rutherford County Circuit Court (CRIMINAL) James A. Turner 82769, F-58763-C	Ayers, Jill Bartee, Easter, Timothy L., Holloway Jr., Robert L.: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of RonAllen Hardy;  Order filed 06/20/2024
SUZANNE HUTCHISON ET AL. v. VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER ET AL. M2024-00161-SC-R11-CV	Davidson County Circuit Court Clifton David Briley 22C1345	Per Curiam: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of Vanderbilt University Medical Center;  Order filed 06/21/2024
SYLNIA LAWS v. RUSSELL C. MCKISSICK, M.D. M2024-00225-SC-R11-CV	Rutherford County Circuit Court (CIVIL) J. Mark Rogers 71141	Per Curiam: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Application of Russell C. McKissick;  Order filed 06/20/2024
TERRA REEVES v. ROBERT ERIC THORNTON M2024-00445-SC-R10-CV	Davidson County Circuit Court Amanda Jane McClendon 23C1634	Per Curiam: Case Dispositional Decision	DENIED - Rule 10 Application of Terra Reeves; Costs are taxed to Terra Reeves;  Order filed 06/21/2024

CLATA RENEE BREWER v. METROPOLITAN  
GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON  
COUNTY, ET AL.  
M2024-00867-SC-R10-CV

Davidson County Chancery Court  
l'Ashea L. Myles  
23-0538-III

Per Curiam: Case Dispositional  
Decision

DENIED - Rule 10 Application of  
Star News Digital Media, Inc. and  
Michael P. Leahy; Costs are taxed  
to Petitioners;

Order filed 06/17/2024

**Knoxville**

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. SETH POWELL  
E2022-00347-SC-R11-CD

Knox County Criminal Court  
G. Scott Green  
117707

Witt Jr., James Curwood: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Seth  
Powell;

Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JOSHUA STEVEN  
SULLIVAN  
E2022-00962-SC-R11-CD

Knox County Criminal Court  
Steven Wayne Sword  
117338

Greenholtz, Tom: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Joshua  
Steven Sullivan;

Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. CHRISTOPHER LAYNE  
SPENCER  
E2022-01276-SC-R11-CD

Knox County Criminal Court  
Kyle A. Hixson  
118601

Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of  
Christopher Layne Spencer;

Order filed 06/20/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ROBERT JOE WHITTENBURG E2022-01342-SC-R11-CD	Bledsoe County Circuit Court Thomas W. Graham 18-CR-31	Wilson, Matthew J.: Remand	DENIED - Application of Robert Joe Whittenburg;  Order filed 06/20/2024
STACI L. ROBINSON v. ERIC S. ROBINSON E2023-00546-SC-R11-CV	Hawkins County Chancery Court Douglas T. Jenkins 2019-CH-118	McBrayer, W. Neal: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Eric Scott Robinson;  Order filed 06/21/2024
BILLY TAYLOR, IV v. STATE OF TENNESSEE E2023-00636-SC-R11-PC	Knox County Criminal Court G. Scott Green 121633	Hixson, Kyle A.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Billy Taylor, IV;  Order filed 06/20/2024
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ROBERT WINTERS E2023-00705-SC-R11-CD	Hamilton County Criminal Court Amanda B. Dunn 231247	Easter, Timothy L.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Robert Michael Winters;  Order filed 06/20/2024
ASATA LOWE v. MIKE PARRIS, WARDEN E2023-01717-SC-R10-HC	Morgan County Criminal Court Jeffery Hill Wicks 2023-CR-120		DENIED - Application of Asata Lowe, Motion for Indigency and the Motion to Correct or Modify; Costs are taxed to Asata Lowe;

Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. AGNESS MCCURRY  
E2024-00367-SC-R11-CO

Washington County Criminal Court  
D. Kelly Thomas, Jr.  
49872

Per Curiam: Case Dispositional  
Decision

DENIED - Application of Agness  
McCurry;

Order filed 06/20/2024

**Jackson**

KISHA DEAN TREZEVANT v. STANLEY H.  
TREZEVANT, III  
W2021-01153-SC-R11-CV

Shelby County Circuit Court  
Mary L. Wagner  
CT-003516-13

Frierson II, Thomas R.: Modify in  
Part

DENIED - Application of Stanley  
H. Trezevant, III;

Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. KEENAN MURPHY  
W2022-01108-SC-R11-CD

Madison County Circuit Court  
Kyle C. Atkins  
20-382

Greenholtz, Tom: Affirm

DISMISSED - Application of  
Keenan Murphy;

GRANTED - Motion to Dismiss  
this Appeal and Withdraw  
Appointed Counsel;

Order filed 06/20/2024 (copy  
attached)

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. DARUNN TURNER W2022-01389-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court James M. Lammey 19-04890, C1906849	McMullen, Camille R.: Affirm Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Concur	DENIED - Application of Darunn Turner;  Order filed 06/21/2024
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. MARCUS GREEN W2022-01514-SC-R11-CD	Shelby County Criminal Court Lee V. Coffee 18-05058, C1806949	Campbell Sr., John W.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Marcus Green;  Order filed 06/21/2024
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. BOBBY MARABLE II W2022-01591-SC-R11-CD	Gibson County (Trenton) Circuit Court Clayburn Peebles 19568	Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Bobby Marable, II;  Order filed 06/21/2024
IN RE SAMUEL C. ET AL. W2022-01709-SC-R11-JV	Tipton County Circuit Court A. Blake Neill 7919	Stafford, J. Steven: Affirm	DENIED - Application of Emily C.;  Order filed 06/21/2024
STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JENNIFER MAY MAHAFFEY W2022-01778-SC-R11-CD	Henderson County Circuit Court Donald H. Allen 20-027-2, 20-028-2, 20-029-2, 20-292-2	Ayers, Jill Bartee: Affirm in Part	DENIED - Application of Jennifer May Mahaffey;  Order filed 06/21/2024



STATE OF TENNESSEE v. TERRELL CRAFT  
W2023-00152-SC-R11-CD

Shelby County Criminal Court  
Paula L. Skahan  
19-05168, C1907284

Witt Jr., James Curwood: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Terrell  
Craft;

Order filed 06/21/2024

RONALD P. ELLIS v. STATE OF TENNESSEE  
W2023-00203-SC-R11-PC

Shelby County Criminal Court  
Jennifer Johnson Mitchell  
14-04664

Easter, Timothy L.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Ronald P.  
Ellis;

Order filed 06/21/2024

KYUHWAN HWANG v. SANIA HOLT ET AL.  
W2023-00627-SC-R11-CV

Shelby County Circuit Court  
Rhynette N. Hurd  
CT-2449-22

Goldin, Arnold B.: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Kyuhwan  
Hwang;

Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. JEREMIAH LEAVY  
W2023-00670-SC-R11-CD

Tipton County Circuit Court  
A. Blake Neill  
3275

Wilson, Matthew J.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Jeremiah  
A. Leavy;

Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE v. ERIC BLEDSOE  
W2023-00730-SC-R11-CD

Shelby County Criminal Court  
Chris Craft  
09-06393

Montgomery Jr., Robert H.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Eric  
Bledsoe;  
Order filed 06/21/2024

CRAIG MARKEEM TAYLOR v. BRANDON  
WATWOOD, WARDEN  
W2023-01169-SC-R11-HC

Lake County Circuit Court  
Mark L. Hayes  
23-CR-10932

Campbell Sr., John W.: Affirm

DENIED - Application of Craig  
Markeem Taylor;  
Order filed 06/21/2024

BRANDI MICHELLE ROSE v. TIMOTHY ELVIN  
ROSE  
W2023-01445-SC-R11-CV

Hardin County Chancery Court  
Vicki Hodge Hoover  
CH-607

Per Curiam: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Shiloh  
Golf Course, Inc. and Rose  
Sawmill, Inc.;  
Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE EX REL. MISTY D.  
MAGEE v. ANDY W. FRANKS  
W2024-00164-SC-R11-JV

Hardin County Juvenile Court  
Daniel L. Smith  
21-JV-2943

Per Curiam: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Andy W.  
Franks;  
Order filed 06/21/2024

STATE OF TENNESSEE EX REL. JUDY C. FRANKS  
v. ANDY FRANKS  
W2024-00167-SC-R11-JV

Hardin County Juvenile Court  
Daniel L. Smith  
21-JV-2933

Per Curiam: Dismiss

DENIED - Application of Andy W.  
Franks;

Order filed 06/21/2024