

**CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS  
COLORADO SUPREME COURT  
MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 2024**

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**OPINION**

**[2024 CO 5](#)**

**Supreme Court Case No. 22SC250**  
*Certiorari to the Colorado Court of Appeals*  
Court of Appeals Case No. 20CA1778

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**Petitioner:**

City and County of Denver,

v.

**Respondents:**

Board of County Commissioners of Adams County, City of Aurora, City of Brighton,  
and City of Thornton.

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**Judgment Reversed**

*en banc*

**JUSTICE SAMOUR** delivered the Opinion of the Court, in which **CHIEF JUSTICE BOATRIGHT, JUSTICE MÁRQUEZ, JUSTICE HOOD, JUSTICE GABRIEL,** and **JUSTICE HART** joined.  
**JUSTICE BERKENKOTTER** did not participate.

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**ORIGINAL PROCEEDING**

[24SA19](#) In Re the matter of the Estate of Ashworth, Robert Harrision  
Show Cause Issued on January 26, 2024

[24SA28](#) In Re People v. McFarland, Joshua  
Show Cause Issued on January 26, 2024

**CERTIFICATION OF QUESTION OF LAW**

24SA12 Hamilton, Dan v. Amazon  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, No. 23-1082  
Question accepted on January 19, 2024:

Whether Colorado law includes or excludes holiday incentive pay from the calculation of “[r]egular rate of pay” under 7 Colo. Code Regs. § 1103-1:1, secs. 1.8 and 1.8.1.

**DENIED PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI**

**No. 23SC439, Court of Appeals Case No. 20CA75**

**Petitioner:**

Bradley J. Marcotte,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC446, Court of Appeals Case No. 20CA882**

**Petitioner:**

Todd N. Perkins,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC463, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA398**

**Petitioner:**

Emmett Andrew Larsen,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC563, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1349**

**Petitioner:**

Douglas L. Crawford,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC609, Court of Appeals Case No. 20CA828**

**Petitioner:**

Kevin T. Maher,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC625, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA685**

**Petitioner:**

Aberaham Issac Feser,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC627, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA56**

**Petitioner:**

Lorenzo Lynn Sronce,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC630, Jefferson County District Court Case No. 22CV31118**

**Petitioner:**

Jeremiah Axtell,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC631, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA2081**

**Petitioner:**

Ryan James Griffin,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC632, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1059**

**Petitioner:**

Stephen Breadon Graves, Jr.,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC633, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA1133**

**Petitioner:**

Joe Tony Sanchez,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC635, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1952**

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado,

**In the Interest of Minor Child:**

**Petitioner:**

J.C.Y.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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**No. 23SC636, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1029**

**Petitioner:**

Daniel Tomas Roldan,

v.

**Respondent:**

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

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