

COLORADO SUPREME COURT CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS
MONDAY, JULY 21, 2025

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ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS

[25SA204](#) In Re: Interest of B.J.S.
Order to Show Cause issued on July 15, 2025

[25SA205](#) In Re: Gona, Arjun v. Balusu, Anj
Order to Show Cause issued on July 17, 2025

GRANTED PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

No. 24SC802, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA521

Petitioner:

Octavio Hernandez-Escajeda,
v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari GRANTED. EN BANC.

Whether the division erroneously expanded *People v. Johnson*, 2015 CO 70, a case resolving a due process claim alleging vindictive resentencing to conclude a district court has the inherent authority to resentence a defendant on convictions that remain on remand where the successful appeal results in a reduced aggregate sentence.

No. 25SC220, Court of Appeals Case No. 24CA1065

In re the Marriage of

Petitioner:

Nicholas Jay Dale,
and

Respondent:

Nicole Jehlicka Dale.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari GRANTED. EN BANC.

[REFRAMED] Whether the court of appeals erred in holding that quantitative reductions in parenting time regardless of amount are not restrictions on parenting time rights under section 14-10-129(1)(b)(I), C.R.S. (2024).

Whether a forty-five-day (28.1%) reduction in previously ordered parenting time is a restriction on parenting time rights absent endangerment to the child.

DENIED AS TO ALL OTHER ISSUES.

DENIED PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

No. 23SC884, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1628

Petitioner:

Donald William Millard,
v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC347, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1363

Petitioner:

Michael S. Harrison,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC384, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA190

Petitioner:

Gediyon Fantaye Assefa,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC485, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1584

Petitioner:

Roy Matthew Miller,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC527, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA353

Petitioner:

Tnias Dmitri Pike,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC559, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA829

Petitioner:

Daniel Riley,

v.

Respondents:

Nicholas Crespi and Shelley Chesson n/k/a Shelley Crespi.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC617, District Court, El Paso County, Case No. 23CV30783

Petitioner:

Tracey Douglas Frank,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC648, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA913

Petitioners:

Kathryn Marrone, Billy Joe North, Marilyn North, Gail M. O'Malley Revocable Trust,
and Parkside Townhomes 1,

v.

Respondent:

Holly Crystal.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC709, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA706

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

In the Interest of

Petitioner:

S.P.P.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC764, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA2119

Petitioners:

Momentum Marketing Solutions Inc., a Pennsylvania Corporation; and Matthew John Lafferty,

v.

Respondent:

Union III LLC, a Colorado limited liability company.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC813, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA1663

Petitioner:

Josanna Harrington,

v.

Respondent:

Neutron Holdings, Inc., d/b/a Limebike and/or Lime.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 24SC815, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA2167

Petitioner:

Derrick V. Taylor,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC123, Court of Appeals Case No. 20CA1953

Petitioner:

Nikolay Krutitskiy,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC153, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA479

Petitioner:

Loretta Irene Brooks,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC154, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA1176

Petitioner:

Adrian Devon Morrison,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC156, Court of Appeals Case No. 19CA2267

Petitioner:

Terrence Kenneth Eugene,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC170, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA1935

Petitioner:

Ivan Dominguez,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC172, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA1228

Petitioner:

Matthias Martin Brehm,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC184, Court of Appeals Case No. 23CA283

Petitioner:

Jay Harvey,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC191, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA2210

Petitioner:

Mariah Rose Gates,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC192, Court of Appeals Case No. 22CA1900

Petitioner:

John Raymond Gonzalez,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC194, Court of Appeals Case No. 21CA1444

Petitioner:

Mark Christopher Peters,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC201, District Court, City and County of Denver Case No. 23CV33667

Petitioner:

Tony Neal,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC323, Court of Appeals Case No. 24CA1916

Petitioner:

Z. A.,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado,

In the Interest of Minor Child:

Z.S.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC337, Court of Appeals Case No. 24CA2078

Petitioner:

E.C.,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado,

In the Interest of Minor Child:

Z.G.C.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.

No. 25SC342, Court of Appeals Case No. 24CA1711

Petitioner:

S.J.A.,

v.

Respondent:

The People of the State of Colorado,

In the Interest of Minor Child:

C.B.B.

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED. EN BANC.