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Summary of Cases Accepted and Related Actions for Week of June 25, 2012

[This news release is issued to inform the public about cases that the California Supreme Court has accepted, their general subject matter, and related actions. The statement of the issue or issues in each case does not necessarily reflect the view of the court or define the specific issues that will be addressed by the court.]

#12-72 *Chambers v. Superior Court, S202334.* (G045209; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M11891.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-73 *Gordon v. Superior Court, S202322.* (G045207; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M9642.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-74 *Lefort v. Superior Court, S202311.* (G045204; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M11111.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-75 *Lunday v. Superior Court, S202366.* (G045208; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M10990.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-76 *Quintero v. Superior Court, S202358.* (G045200; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M10805.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-77 *Rigby v. Superior Court, S202314.* (G045614; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M10354, M11042.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-78 *Smith v. Superior Court, S202338.* (G045119; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M9531.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

#12-79 *Yancy v. Superior Court, S202359.* (G045213; nonpublished opinion; Orange County Superior Court; M11040.) Petition for review after the Court of Appeal denied without prejudice a petition for peremptory writ of mandate.

The court ordered briefing in these eight cases deferred pending decision in *Reilly v. Superior Court, S202280* (#12-63), which presents the following issue: Was petitioner entitled to dismissal of a petition for commitment under the Sexually Violent Predator Act (Welf. & Inst. Code, § 6600 et seq.) when the evaluations originally supporting the filing of the petition were conducted under an assessment protocol that was later found to constitute an invalid regulation and the results of reevaluation under a properly-adopted assessment protocol would have precluded the initial filing of the petition under Welfare and Institutions Code section 6601?

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