

18-1323 JUNE MEDICAL SERVICES V. RUSSO, INTERIM SEC., LA DEPT. OF HEALTH

DECISION BELOW: 905 F.3d 787

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 17-30397

QUESTION PRESENTED:

In *Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt*, 136 S. Ct. 2292 (2016), this Court held that a state law requiring physicians who perform abortions to have admitting privileges at a local hospital was unconstitutional because it imposed an undue burden on women seeking abortions. The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit upheld an admitting privileges law in Louisiana that is identical to the one this Court struck down. This presents the following issue:

Whether the Fifth Circuit's decision upholding Louisiana's law requiring physicians who perform abortions to have admitting privileges at a local hospital conflicts with this Court's binding precedent in *Whole Woman's Health*.

CONSOLIDATED WITH 18-1460 AND A TOTAL OF ONE HOUR IS ALLOTTED FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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