(ORDER LIST: 577 U.S.)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2016

CERTIORARI -- SUMMARY DISPOSITION

15-85 MEDTRONIC SOFAMOR DANEK, ET AL. V. NUVASIVE INC.

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted. The judgment is vacated, and the case is remanded to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit for further consideration in light of *Commil USA*, *LLC* v. *Cisco Systems*, *Inc.*, 575 U. S. ___ (2015).

ORDERS IN PENDING CASES

15A551 AKINA, KELI'I, ET AL. V. HAWAII, ET AL.

The motion of applicants Keli'i Akina, et al. for civil contempt is denied.

15M75 BIROS, ROBERT V. KANE, ATT'Y GEN. OF PA, ET AL.

The motion for leave to file a petition for a writ of certiorari under seal is granted.

15-497 FRY, STACY, ET VIR V. NAPOLEON COMMUNITY SCH., ET AL.

The Solicitor General is invited to file a brief in this case expressing the views of the United States.

- 15-5495 ENRIQUEZ, JUAN V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ
- 15-5648 DIXON, LANDRY V. DISTRICT COURT OF LA, ET AL.
- 15-6142 CLAY, THOMAS H. V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ
- 15-6244 MOORE, DARRELL J. V. MONTIEL, RUDOLF, ET AL.
- 15-6492 ZAMMIT, PIO P. V. NEW BALTIMORE, MI

The motions of petitioners for reconsideration of orders denying leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* are denied.

15-6890	STEWART,	EDWARD	٧.	TREASURE	BAY	CASINO

15-6916 KINNEY, CHARLES G. V. STEELE, SUSAN, ET AL.

15-7093 PHIFER, SAMUEL T. V. SEVENSON ENVIRONMENTAL, ET AL.

15-7153 SUTEERACHANON, RUNGRUDEE V. McDONALD'S RESTAURANTS OF MD

15-7304 RAUSO, GENNARO V. UNITED STATES

15-7406 WILLIAMS, TERRANCE V. UNITED STATES

The motions of petitioners for leave to proceed *in forma* pauperis are denied. Petitioners are allowed until February 9, 2016, within which to pay the docketing fees required by Rule 38(a) and to submit petitions in compliance with Rule 33.1 of the Rules of this Court.

CERTIORARI GRANTED

15-458 DIETZ, ROCKY V. BOULDIN, HILLARY

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted.

15-628 SALMAN, BASSAM Y. V. UNITED STATES

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted limited to Question 1 presented by the petition.

15-674 UNITED STATES, ET AL. V. TEXAS, ET AL.

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted. In addition to the questions presented by the petition, the parties are directed to brief and argue the following question: "Whether the Guidance violates the Take Care Clause of the Constitution, Art. II, §3."

15-6092 MATHIS, RICHARD V. UNITED STATES

The motion of petitioner for leave to proceed in forma pauperis and the petition for a writ of certiorari are granted.

CERTIORARI DENIED

14-8071 BERNARD, BRANDON V. UNITED STATES

- 15-170 MORRIS, RYAN V. UNITED STATES
- 15-186 McCOY, ANTWAINE L. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-362 ORTIZ-FRANCO, ELENILSON V. LYNCH, ATT'Y GEN.
- 15-428 MILLER, JAN V. FEC
- 15-447 SCHOEPS, JULIUS H., ET AL. V. BAVARIA, GERMANY
- 15-448 BECK, JOSEPH M., ET AL. V. EDWARDS, LOUIS J., ET AL.
- 15-450 ANGOV, NIKOLAY I. V. LYNCH, ATT'Y GEN.
- 15-451 FIREFIGHTERS' RETIREMENT, ET AL. V. CITCO GROUP, ET AL.
- 15-456 JEFFERSON, JOANNIE, ET AL. V. CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS OF LLOYD'S
- 15-468 WHELAN, DAVID J., ET UX. V. PASCALE, JUDITH A., ET AL.
- 15-480 MOCKSVILLE, NC, ET AL. V. HUNTER, KENNETH L., ET AL.
- 15-505 TOWNSEND, KIRKLAND V. HSBC BANK USA
- 15-560 BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM V. FTC
- 15-567 ALPS SOUTH, LLC V. OHIO WILLOW WOOD COMPANY
- 15-613 RODRIGUEZ, MARTHA V. AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE
- 15-616 MEDIMMUNE V. UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS
- 15-618 VARRIALE, GEORGE V. MARYLAND
- 15-619 WHITE, SOUDABEH V. WHITE, MALCOLM
- 15-624 PELLERIN, GREGORY V. NEVADA COUNTY, CA, ET AL.
- 15-629 HOFFMAN, HERMAN, ET UX. V. TEXAS
- 15-633 DUFF, TYRONE, ET UX. V. LEWIS, RICHARD W., ET AL.
- 15-636 CARRILLO, JAVIER, ET AL. V. DEUTSCH BANK NAT. TRUST CO.
- 15-637 ENERGY-INTENSIVE MANUFACTURERS V. EPA, ET AL.
- 15-643 ARPAIO, SHERIFF V. OBAMA, PRESIDENT OF U.S., ET AL.
- 15-644 DOLAN, NANCY V. PENN MILLERS INSURANCE, ET AL.
- 15-658 HADSELL, CHRISTOPHER V. HADSELL, CATHERINE
- 15-661 JOSEPH, JOEL D. V. BERNSTEIN, RICHARD S., ET AL.
- 15-663 KRATZ, JEFFREY F. V. CITIMORTGAGE INC.

- 15-688 FRANKEL, MARK D. V. WELLS FARGO
- 15-701 WILLAMAN, TERRANCE R. V. ERIE SATELLITE OFFICE OF THE ATF
- 15-714 MARTINEZ, VICTOR, ET AL. V. FL DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
- 15-717 DIXON, ERIC D. V. DISCIPLINARY BOARD, ET AL.
- 15-724 NIVIA, EDGAR, ET AL. V. AURORA LOAN SERVICES, ET AL.
- 15-738 MITCHELL, RODERICK L. V. TEXAS MEDICAL BOARD
- 15-752 COPLEY FUND, INC. V. SEC
- 15-756 RANZA, LOREDANA V. NIKE, INC., ET AL.
- 15-760 SCHLOFF, CHRISTOPHER S. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-761 LESHER, DONNA, ET AL. V. ELLISON, TROY
- 15-800 BROWN, WILLIAM D., ET UX. V. McCAUSLAND, SMITH
- 15-823 MIRA OVERSEAS CONSULTING, ET AL. V. MUSE FAMILY ENTERPRISES
- 15-5115 CLARK, JARED R. V. FEDERAL LABOR RELATIONS AUTH.
- 15-6022 IRICK, BILLY R. V. CARPENTER, WARDEN
- 15-6081 HOOPER, CHARLES R. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-6119 CADE, TYRONE V. TEXAS
- 15-6221 JENNINGS, ROBERT M. V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ
- 15-6236 KITTERMAN, CHRISTINA M. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-6557 GARCIA, GUSTAVO J. V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ
- 15-6883 LETEVE, ANDRE M. V. ARIZONA
- 15-6899 JOHNSON, NATHANIEL L. V. DELAWARE, ET AL.
- 15-6900 JOHNSON, JASON J. V. BRAZELTON, WARDEN
- 15-6903 BOYD, DEMETRIUS M. V. BOUGHTON, WARDEN
- 15-6906 CARDELLE, IDELFONSO V. WILMINGTON TRUST, N.A.
- 15-6910 NICKERSON, JOSHUA V. FOULK, WARDEN
- 15-6911 PARKER, PATRICIA V. EXETER FINANCE CORP.
- 15-6913 SHAKER, AHMED V. C.C.S. MEDICAL ADVISOR, ET AL.
- 15-6914 RICHARD, DONALD V. MOHR, GARY C., ET AL.

- 15-6917 WEISHEIT, JEFFREY A. V. INDIANA
- 15-6919 WILLIAMS, BILLY W. V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ
- 15-6922 THOMPKINS, LUTRICA V. BROWN, JOSEPH, ET AL.
- 15-6925 RIGDON, ANGELA V. MISSISSIPPI
- 15-6927 SIMS, JOHN E. V. LOUISIANA
- 15-6938 CHAVEZ, IGNACIO C. V. LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CA, ET AL.
- 15-6939 CAMPBELL, BILLY S. V. OHIO
- 15-6942 CARR, RAYMOND E. V. STEPHENS, DIR., TX DCJ, ET AL.
- 15-6943 COWDER, MARK V. THOMPSON, SUPT., MERCER
- 15-6944 DAVIDSON, RICHARD C. V. CALIFORNIA
- 15-6949 BERNIER, REJEANNE M. V. COURT OF APPEAL OF CA, ET AL.
- 15-6950 BECKHAM, COREY L. V. ALLEN, WARDEN
- 15-6958 MURRAY, BRAY J. V. WOLF, GOV. OF PA, ET AL.
- 15-6959 ROMAN, GABRIEL L. V. LOS ANGELES COUNTY DPSS
- 15-6963 SMITH, RICKY V. GEORGIA
- 15-6965 HURD, DALE R. V. CALIFORNIA
- 15-6966 GANA, ANNAMARIA M. V. CALIFORNIA
- 15-6968 HOOVER, WADE R. V. MAINE
- 15-6971 HENRY, CHRISTOPHER A. V. ALLEN, PATRICIA, ET AL.
- 15-6975 JONES, CHARLES E. V. FLORIDA
- 15-6980 BEELBY, GERALD V. GIDLEY, WARDEN
- 15-6981 STUDY, JOHN O. V. BROWN, SUPT., WABASH VALLEY
- 15-6991 JUAREZ, APRIL V. WARREN, WARDEN
- 15-6995 DIAS, CHAD V. PEERY, ACTING WARDEN
- 15-6996 TAYLOR, DWIGHT E. V. PALMER, WARDEN
- 15-7001 WELLS, ANDRE C. V. INDIANA
- 15-7035 HOLDRIDGE, ROBERT E. V. CALIFORNIA
- 15-7095 PABON, ANGEL V. KERESTES, SUPT., MAHANOY, ET AL.

- 15-7098 YELL, ROBERT V. WHITE, WARDEN
- 15-7104 LEVITAN, DANIEL J. V. MORGAN, SHERIFF
- 15-7128 KING, PETER V. NEW YORK
- 15-7130 CARDENAS, JONATHAN V. SWARTHOUT, WARDEN
- 15-7135) RAMIREZ-RIVERA, PEDRO V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7374) LAUREANO-SALGADO, JOSE V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7148 WILSON, JAKIEM L. V. NORTH CAROLINA
- 15-7159 GRAY, WILLIAM R. V. LEE, WARDEN
- 15-7173 McADAM, TOBY C. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7192 BOWERS, DANIEL J. V. MASSACHUSETTS
- 15-7198 JOHNSON, DEBRA L. V. GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION
- 15-7203 OROZCO, HERNAN V. REZNICHENKO, ALEKSANDR
- 15-7223 TODISCO, CHRISTOPHER V. MASSACHUSETTS
- 15-7225 RAMIREZ, CESILIO V. ILLINOIS
- 15-7227 SPIVEY, SHAWN V. NEW JERSEY
- 15-7237 COPE, JAMEY D. V. MEKO, WARDEN
- 15-7254 JOHNSON, LESTER V. JONES, SEC., FL DOC
- 15-7271 TOLER, PAUL V. JONES, SEC., FL DOC, ET AL.
- 15-7281 COLEMAN, COY L. V. JONES, SEC., FL DOC
- 15-7284 MATSON, MIKE C. V. HRABE, JOEL
- 15-7287 MONTES, FERDINAND S. V. FLORIDA
- 15-7296) ST. JOHN, JEFFREY D. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7314) ST. JOHN, LAWRENCE D. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7299 LEE-GUTIERREZ, VICTOR H. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7301 MARQUEZ-ESQUIVEL, JUAN M. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7303 CASTLEMAN, BOB S. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7305 DRUMMONDO-FARIAS, JACOB V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7312 MOSTELLER, MEGAN N. V. UNITED STATES

- 15-7315 VELEZ-SOTO, FRANCISCO J. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7316 SCOTT, FERRELL D. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7317 HALES, STANTON M. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7319 HERNANDEZ-DIAZ, FRANCISCO V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7320 IWUALA, BLESSING S. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7321 FARAZ, AMIR A. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7324 HOWARD, MATTHEW S. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7325 FIREMPONG, OWUSU A. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7328 JONES, DONALD V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7330 JONES, ELTON R. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7335 GUNTER, LESTER K. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7337 DAVIS, JAMES W. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7338 CUMMINGS-AVILA, JEFFREY J. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7340 MEZA-GARCIA, JESUS M. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7357 JOHNSON, AUDREY L. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7358 MAYELE, PRINCE M. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7361 OATES, SANDY J. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7362 MILLER, WILLIAM V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7363 VIZCARRA-SERRANO, ADELFO V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7371 SINGLETON, ERNEST W. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7372 MIRELES, ARNULFO G. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7373 EDMONDSON, ISAIAH V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7377 JORDAN, DAVID V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7379 VARGAS, FABIO M., ET AL. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7381 WILLIAMS, DENNIS G. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7383 CAVAZOS, JOSHUA V. ILLINOIS
- 15-7385 JENKINS, JOSEPH V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7387 KIRKLAND, TOUSSAINT V. UNITED STATES

- 15-7388 JONES, JASON V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7390 SERNA, MARIO V. GRAY, JAMES W.
- 15-7393 BERRONES-VARGAS, ROBERTO V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7397 VINSON, ELLA B. V. OHIO
- 15-7410 WITZLIB, BODIE B. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7414 BROWN, BYRON K. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7418 BRIDGES, WALTER L. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7421 COLE, BYRON V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7428 MALOUFF, CHARLES V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7429 FOREMAN, ERIC D. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7433 GALAN-OLAVARRIA, RAFAEL V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7439 SIMPSON, MATTHEW N. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7443 JONES, NAEEM D., ET AL. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7444 LOPEZ, JOSEPH JESUS V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7450 RAMSEY, JAMES V. STEPHENSON, WARDEN
- 15-7452 BATES, JAMES V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7454 DURANTY-MOORE, BETSY E. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7455 JACKSON, IRA C. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7459 CUEVAS, MIGUEL A. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7462 LANE, MICHAEL R. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7486 PRIESTLEY, TERRENCE E. V. UNITED STATES
- 15-7491 VILLALONGA, JOHN V. UNITED STATES

The petitions for writs of certiorari are denied.

15-122 CALDERON-CARDONA, RUTH, ET AL. V. BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON

The motion of The Levin Judgment Creditors for leave to file a brief as *amicus curiae* is granted. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

15-125 HAUSLER, JEANNETTE F. V. JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, ET AL.

The motion of The Levin Judgment Creditors for leave to file a brief as *amicus curiae* is granted. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied. Justice Alito took no part in the consideration or decision of this motion and this petition.

15-374 KANSAS V. AGUIRRE, LUIS A.

The motion of respondent for leave to proceed *in forma* pauperis is granted. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

15-449 JOHNSON & JOHNSON, ET AL. V. RECKIS, LISA, ET VIR

The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied. Justice Alito took no part in the consideration or decision of this petition.

15-470 LIVINGSTON, WILLIAM A. V. FRANK, PAT, ET AL.

The motion of Cato Institute for leave to file a brief as amicus curiae is granted. The motion of Owners' Counsel of America for leave to file a brief as amicus curiae is granted. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

15-543 SISSEL, MATT V. DEPT. OF H&HS, ET AL.

The motion of Daniel G. Anderson, et al. for leave to file a brief as *amici curiae* out of time is denied. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

15-6957 GREENE, CEDRIC V. CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

The motion of petitioner for leave to proceed *in forma*pauperis is denied, and the petition for a writ of certiorari is dismissed. See Rule 39.8.

15-7118 TIPPENS, ROBERT E. V. VIRGINIA

The petition for a writ of certiorari before judgment is denied.

15-7124 KUMVACHIRAPITAG, SUKIT V. OBAMA, PRESIDENT OF U.S.

The motion of petitioner for leave to proceed *in forma*pauperis is denied, and the petition for a writ of certiorari is dismissed. See Rule 39.8.

15-7326 VIEUX, RICHARD V. UNITED STATES

The motion of petitioner for leave to proceed *in forma* pauperis is denied, and the petition for a writ of certiorari is dismissed. See Rule 39.8. As the petitioner has repeatedly abused this Court's process, the Clerk is directed not to accept any further petitions in noncriminal matters from petitioner unless the docketing fee required by Rule 38(a) is paid and the petition is submitted in compliance with Rule 33.1. See Martin v. District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 506 U. S. 1 (1992) (per curiam). Justice Kagan took no part in the consideration or decision of this motion and this petition.

15-7351 BARNETT, BERNARD V. UNITED STATES

The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied. Justice Sotomayor took no part in the consideration or decision of this petition.

15-7352 ADKINS, EBRAHIM V. USDC KS

The motion of petitioner for leave to proceed *in forma*pauperis is denied, and the petition for a writ of certiorari is dismissed. See Rule 39.8.

15-7463 PANNELL, DERREK V. UNITED STATES

The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied. Justice Kagan took no part in the consideration or decision of this petition.

REHEARINGS DENIED

14-9909	ROSS, CLARETHA V. COBB, PAMELA H.
15-5855	MARTIN, EDGAR K. V. UNITED STATES
15-6026	IVY, JOHN V. BROWN, SUPT., WABASH VALLEY
15-6125	BRUNSON, JONATHAN E. V. TAYLOR, WARDEN
15-6158	ALSTON, DAVID V. V. KEAN UNIVERSITY, ET AL.
15-6237	JOHNSON, CORIELLE V. DAUPHANUS, JEFFREY, ET AL.
15-6393	PRIDGEN, JAMES M. V. KERESTES, SUPT., MAHANOY, ET AL.
15-6590	TIBURCIO, SEIDY M. V. U.S. CAPITOL
15-6791	MOORE, LEONARD V. UNITED STATES

ATTORNEY DISCIPLINE

The petitions for rehearing are denied.

D-2852 IN THE MATTER OF JAMES FRANCIS DONOHUE

James Francis Donohue, of Butler, Pennsylvania, having requested to resign as a member of the Bar of this Court, it is ordered that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys admitted to the practice of law before this Court. The Rule to Show Cause, issued on November 2, 2015, is discharged.