SUPREME COURT OF GEORGIA
Case No. S18C1316

Atlanta, November 15, 2018

The Honorable Supreme Court met pursuant to adjournment.

The following order was passed.

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR v. THOMAS MCCONNELL et al.

Court of Appeals Case No. A16A0655

The Supreme Court today granted the writ of certiorari in this case. All the Justices concur, except Peterson and Warren, JJ., disqualified.

This case will be assigned to the March 2019 oral argument calendar automatically under Supreme Court Rule 50 (2), as amended September 13, 1996. Oral argument is mandatory in granted certiorari cases.

This Court is particularly concerned with the following issue or issues:

1) Did the Court of Appeals err in holding that the State's sovereign immunity was waived under the Georgia Torts Claims Act, OCGA § 50-21-20 et seq., for McConnell's tort claims?
2) Did the Court of Appeals err in holding that McConnell's tort claims failed to state a claim?

Briefs should be submitted only on these points. See Supreme Court Rule 45.

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Clerk's Office, Atlanta

I certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

Witness my signature and the seal of said court hereto affixed the day and year last above written.

, Clerk