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**NOTICE:** The following cases are scheduled for merit review. The cases will be submitted on the briefs, unless oral argument was requested. Any oral argument scheduled is noted in the Comments below. For more information or to listen to an oral argument, please contact the Court by e-mailing [info1@fifthdistrictohcoa.gov](mailto:info1@fifthdistrictohcoa.gov) or calling 330-451-7765.

| <u>CASE NUMBER</u>      | <u>CAPTION</u>                                                         | <u>COMMENTS</u>                                    |
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| Tuscarawas 2025AP110038 | Brendon Prosch, Next Best Friend of Aeralyn Prosch v. Terrance Jackson | Submitted                                          |
| Coshocton 25CA0016      | State v. Traivis Addy                                                  | Remote Oral Argument at 9:00 am                    |
| Muskingum CT2025-0122   | State v. Thomas E. Pritchard                                           | Remote Oral Argument at 9:20 am; Consol. w/ 25-140 |
| Muskingum CT2025-0140   | State v. Thomas E. Pritchard                                           | Remote Oral Argument at 9:20 am; Consol. w/ 25-122 |
| Muskingum CT2026-0001   | State v. Corey Whitehouse                                              | Remote Oral Argument at 9:40 am                    |
| Muskingum CT2026-0003   | State of Ohio v. Joseph Tice                                           | Submitted                                          |
| Muskingum CT2026-0005   | State of Ohio v. Michael Hill                                          | Submitted; Rel. to 25-6                            |
| Muskingum CT2026-0006   | State of Ohio v. Michael Hill                                          | Submitted; Rel. to 25-5                            |
| Muskingum CT2026-0007   | State of Ohio v. Case Minnich                                          | Submitted                                          |
| Richland 25CA105        | State v. Michael J. Cox                                                | Submitted                                          |
| Richland 26CA0003       | State v. Demetrius L. Rucker                                           | Submitted                                          |