Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

Roberta Skiver Pearce v James Joseph Valente

Docket No. 318819

LC No. **05-258969-DM**

Deborah A. Servitto, Judge, acting under MCR 7.211(E)(2), orders:

The motion to strike is GRANTED and defendant-appellant's brief on appeal is STRICKEN for failure to conform to the requirements of MCR 7.212. The brief does not conform because, when including the arguments regarding the best interest factors contained in the 27-page "Appendix A", appellant's brief exceeds the 50-page limit set forth in MCR 7.212(B). Within 21 days of the Clerk's certification of this order, appellant must file an original and four copies of a replacement brief excluding Appendix A and the references thereto.

A true copy entered and certified by Jerome W. Zimmer Jr., Chief Clerk, on

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Date

Drone W. Zein Jr.
Chief Clerk