Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

Appeal Docket Sheet

Docket Number: 12 EAP 2025

November 16, 2026

CAPTION

In re: Nomination Petition of Michael Huff as Democratic Candidate for Municipal Court Judge in the First Judicial District (Philadelphia)

Objection of: Julian Domanico

Appeal of: Michael Huff

CASE INFORMATION

Initiating Document:	Notice of Appeal		
Case Status:	Closed		
Journal Number:	J-51B-2025 April 17, 2025		
Case Category:	Election	Case Type(s):	Election

CONSOLIDATED CASES

Docket No / Reason	Type
11 EAP 2025 Lower Court	Consolidated

RELATED CASES

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SUPREME COURT INFORMATION

Appeal From: the Order of the Commonwealth Court entered on April 1, 2025, at Docket No. 106 MD 2025.

Appeal Filed Below:

Probable Jurisdiction Noted: April 10, 2025

Docketed Date: April 9, 2025

Allocatur/Miscellaneous Granted:

Allocatur/Miscellaneous Docket No.:

Allocatur/Miscellaneous Grant Order:

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FEE INFORMATION

Fee Dt	Fee Name	Fee Amt	Receipt Dt	Receipt No	Receipt Amt
04/09/2025	Notice of Appeal	90.25	04/14/2025	2025-SUP-E-000521	90.25

INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT INFORMATION

Court Name:
Docket Number:
Date of Order:
Rearg/Recon Disp Date:
Rearg/Recon Disposition:

Judge(s):
Intermediate Appellate Court Action:
Referring Court:

AGENCY/TRIAL COURT INFORMATION

Court Below: Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania

County:
Division: Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania

Date of Agency/Trial Court Order:

Docket Number: 106 MD 2025

Judge(s):
OTN:

Order Type:

ORIGINAL RECORD CONTENT

Original Record Item	Filed Date	Content/Description
Agency Record	April 10, 2025	Electronically filed

Record Remittal: **April 24, 2025**

BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Appellant		**Appellee**	
Huff, Michael		**Domanico, Julian**	
Brief		**Brief**	
Due: April 15, 2025	Filed: April 15, 2025	Due: April 18, 2025	Filed: April 17, 2025

SESSION INFORMATION

Journal Number: J-51B-2025
Listed/Submitted Date: April 17, 2025
Consideration Type: Submit on Briefs Supreme

DISPOSITION INFORMATION

Related Journal No: J-51B-2025
Judgment Date: April 24, 2025

Category: Decided
Disposition Author: Per Curiam

Disposition: Vacated/Remanded
Disposition Date: April 24, 2025

Dispositional Filing: **Order**
Author: Per Curiam

Filed Date: April 24, 2025

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DISPOSITION INFORMATION

Dispositional Filing:	**Majority Opinion**	Author:	Brobson, P. Kevin
Filed Date:	April 24, 2025		
Justice:	Todd, Debra	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion
Justice:	Donohue, Christine	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion
Justice:	Dougherty, Kevin M.	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion
Justice:	Wecht, David N.	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion
Justice:	Mundy, Sallie U.	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion
Justice:	McCaffery, Daniel D.	Vote:	Join Majority Opinion

DOCKET ENTRY

Filed Date	Docket Entry / Representing	Participant Type	Filed By
April 9, 2025	**Notice of Appeal**	Appellant	Huff, Michael
April 9, 2025	**Jurisdictional Statement**	Appellant	Huff, Michael
April 10, 2025	**No Answer Letter to Notice of Appeal & Jurisdictional Statement**	Appellee	Domanico, Julian
April 10, 2025	**Probable Jurisdiction Noted**		Rothermel, Steven

Comments:
AND NOW, this 10th day of April, 2025, probable jurisdiction is NOTED. The following briefing schedule is established: Appellant's brief shall be filed on or before 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, and Appellee's brief shall be filed on or before 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 18, 2025. Extensions of time will not be entertained, and no reply briefs will be accepted.

April 10, 2025	**Order Exited**		Office of the Prothonotary
April 10, 2025	**Praecipe for Appearance** Huff, Michael	Appellant	Datlof, Samuel Harrison
April 10, 2025	**Electronically filed**		Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania
April 15, 2025	**Appellant's Brief**	Appellant	Huff, Michael
April 17, 2025	**Supplemental Record**		Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania
April 17, 2025	**Appellee's Brief**	Appellee	Domanico, Julian

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April 17, 2025	**Submitted on Brief**		Supreme Court of Pennsylvania
April 17, 2025	**Submitted on Brief**		Supreme Court of Pennsylvania
April 24, 2025	**Order Exited**		Office of the Prothonotary
April 24, 2025	**Jurisdiction relinquished**		Per Curiam

Comments:
AND NOW, this 24th day of April, 2025, the orders of the Commonwealth Court, dated April 1, 2025, granting the Petitions to Set Aside Nominating Petitions of Michael Huff, are VACATED, and the matters are REMANDED to the Commonwealth Court for expedited reconsideration consistent with the accompanying opinion. The Commonwealth Court shall issue decisions on remand by 3:00 p.m. on April 30, 2025.

Jurisdiction relinquished.

April 24, 2025	**Judgment Entered**		Office of the Prothonotary
April 24, 2025	**Remitted**		Office of the Prothonotary
April 24, 2025	**Acknowledgement of Record Remittal**		Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania

CROSS COURT ACTIONS

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