

**STATE OF MINNESOTA  
IN SUPREME COURT**

**SUPREME COURT CALENDAR  
November 2019**

**Court convenes at 9:00 a.m.  
(unless otherwise noted)**

Please note the following time allotments  
for oral argument  
unless otherwise ordered by the Court:  
**appellants are limited to 35 minutes and**  
**respondents are limited to 25 minutes.**

**COURT CONVENES AT 9:00 A.M.**  
(unless otherwise noted)

**NOTE:** Attorneys who will be arguing cases scheduled on this calendar should complete and return the argument appearance form attached at the end of this calendar.

Attorneys in all cases scheduled for oral argument must check in with the Marshal in the courtroom to which the case is assigned (Capitol or Judicial Center) no later than **8:40 a.m.** Counsel should be present and be prepared to begin whenever their case is called.

**Chief Justice Lorie S. Gildea**  
**Justice G. Barry Anderson**  
**Justice David L. Lillehaug**  
**Justice Natalie E. Hudson**  
**Justice Margaret H. Chutich**  
**Justice Anne K. McKeig**  
**Justice Paul C. Thissen**

**En Banc Oral**

	<b><u>Case Number</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
Cilek, et al. v. Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State, et al.	A18-1140	11/05/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor
In re Disciplinary Action Against Daniel Martin Lieber	A19-0048	11/06/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor
In re K.M.	A19-0414	11/04/19	Mitchell Hamline School of Law – 4:30 p.m.
Kenneh v. Homeward Bound, Inc.	A18-0174	11/12/19	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
Save Lake Calhoun v. Strommen, et al.	A18-1007	11/13/19	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
State v. Cruz Montanez	A19-0170	11/05/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor
State, by Commissioner v. Elbert, et al.	A18-1280	11/06/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor
State v. Martin	A18-0893	11/12/19	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
State v. Reek	A19-0153	11/07/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor
State v. Shaka	A18-0778	11/13/19	Judicial Center, Courtroom 300
State v. Thompson	A19-0717	11/07/19	State Capitol Building Second Floor

**Nonoral**

Abed v. ERA Venture Capital	A19-0485	11/19/19
Sanderson v. ISD 316	A19-0549	11/19/19

**MITCHELL HAMLINE SCHOOL OF LAW – 4:30 P.M.  
SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA**

**Monday, November 4, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

In re K.M., Petitioner,

K.M.,

Appellant,

Andrew S. Birrell  
Ian S. Birrell  
Marc E. Betinsky  
Gaskins Bennett & Birrell, LLP  
333 South Seventh Street – Suite 3000  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

vs. A19-0414  
A19-0714

Elizabeth R. Duel  
Ryan P. Garry  
Ryan Garry, Attorney, LLC  
333 South Seventh Street – Suite 2350  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

Burnsville Police Department,

Respondent,

Alina Schwartz  
Campbell Knutson, P.A.  
Grand Oak Office Center I  
860 Blue Gentian Road – Suite 290  
Eagan, Minnesota 55121

State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Michael O. Freeman  
Hennepin County Attorney  
Jonathan P. Schmidt  
Jean Burdorf  
John Patrick Monnens  
Assistant Hennepin County Attorneys  
C-2000 Government Center  
300 South Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55487

and

John Does 1–4,

Appellants.

Christopher W. Madel  
Mack H. Reed  
Stephen M. Premo  
Madel PA  
800 Pence Building  
800 Hennepin Avenue  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403

Order Court of Appeals

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**STATE CAPITOL  
SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, SECOND FLOOR**

**Tuesday, November 5, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

Andrew Cilek, et al.,

Respondents,

Erick G. Kaardal  
Mohrman, Kaardal & Erickson, P.A.  
150 South Fifth Street – Suite 3100  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

vs. A18-1140

Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State, et al.,  
Appellants.

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
Christopher M. Kaisershot  
Nathan J. Hartshorn  
Assistant Attorneys General  
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 1800  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Opinion Court of Appeals

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State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
Michael Everson  
Assistant Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 1800  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

vs. A19-0170

Luis Damian Cruz Montanez,

Appellant.

Cathryn Middlebrook  
Chief Appellate Public Defender  
540 Fairview Avenue North – Suite 300  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

Kristine A. Kolar  
Ninth District Chief Public Defender  
Scott G. Collins  
Assistant Public Defender  
208 North LaBree – Suite 102  
Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701

Opinion Court of Appeals

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**STATE CAPITOL  
SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, SECOND FLOOR**

**Wednesday, November 6, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

State of Minnesota, by its Commissioner of  
Transportation,  
  
Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
Mathew Ferche  
Assistant Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 900  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

vs. A18-1280

Rosemary R. Elbert, et al.,  
  
Appellants.

Harold A. Frederick  
Eric S. Johnson  
Fryberger, Buchanan, Smith & Frederick, P.A.  
700 Lonsdale Building  
302 West Superior Street  
Duluth, Minnesota 55802

Opinion Court of Appeals

<https://mn.gov/law-library-stat/archive/ctapun/2019/OPa181280-042219.pdf>

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In re Petition for Disciplinary Action against  
Daniel Martin Lieber, a Minnesota Attorney,  
Registration No. 0207731.

Eric T. Cooperstein  
Law Office of Eric T. Cooperstein, PLLC  
2600 U.S. Bancorp Center  
800 Nicollet Mall  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

A19-0048

Susan Humiston  
Director  
Cassie Hanson  
Managing Attorney  
Office of Lawyers Professional Responsibility  
1500 Landmark Towers  
345 Saint Peter Street  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

Petition for Discipline

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**STATE CAPITOL  
SUPREME COURT COURTROOM, SECOND FLOOR**

**Thursday, November 7, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

John J. Choi  
Ramsey County Attorney  
Thomas R. Ragatz  
Assistant Ramsey County Attorney  
345 Wabasha Street North – Suite 120  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

vs. A19-0153

Kevin Reek,

Appellant.

Cathryn Middlebrook  
Chief Appellate Public Defender  
Benjamin J. Butler  
Assistant State Public Defender  
540 Fairview Avenue North – Suite 300  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

Judgment Ramsey County

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State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Michael O. Freeman  
Hennepin County Attorney  
Mark V. Griffin  
Senior Assistant Hennepin County Attorney  
C-2000 Government Center  
300 South Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55487

vs. A19-0717

Stafon Edward Thompson,

Appellant.

Rachel Moran  
University of Saint Thomas Legal Services Clinic  
30 South Tenth Street – Suite 100  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403

Order Hennepin County

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**COURTROOM 300, MINNESOTA JUDICIAL CENTER**

**Tuesday, November 12, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

Assata Kenneh,

Appellant,

Gerald Laurie  
Laurie Law & ADR  
5901 Cedar Lake Road South  
Saint Louis Park, Minnesota 55416

Kelly A. Jeanetta  
Kelly A. Jeanetta Law Firm, LLC  
402 Union Plaza  
333 Washington Avenue North  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401

vs. A18-0174

Homeward Bound, Inc.,

Respondent.

Marko J. Mrkonich  
Emily A. McNee  
Littler Mendelson, P .C.  
1300 IDS Center  
80 South Eighth Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

Opinion Court of Appeals

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State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Michael O. Freeman  
Hennepin County Attorney  
Patrick R. Lofton  
Assistant Hennepin County Attorney  
C-2000 Government Center  
300 South Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55487

vs. A18-0893

Edward Martin,

Appellant.

Cathryn Middlebrook  
Chief Appellate Public Defender  
Richard Schmitz  
Assistant State Public Defender  
540 Fairview Avenue North – Suite 300  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

Opinion Court of Appeals

<https://mn.gov/law-library-stat/archive/ctapun/2019/OPa180893-051319.pdf>

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**COURTROOM 300, MINNESOTA JUDICIAL CENTER**

**Wednesday, November 13, 2019**

**En Banc Oral**

State of Minnesota,

Respondent,

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Michael O. Freeman  
Hennepin County Attorney  
Kelly O’Neill Moller  
Assistant Hennepin County Attorney  
C-2000 Government Center  
300 South Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55487

vs. A18-0778

Ronnie Bila Shaka,

Appellant.

Cathryn Middlebrook  
Chief Appellate Public Defender  
Anders J. Erickson  
Assistant State Public Defender  
540 Fairview Avenue North – Suite 300  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

Opinion Court of Appeals

<https://mn.gov/law-library-stat/archive/ctappub/2019/OPa180778-042919.pdf>

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Save Lake Calhoun,

Respondent,

Erick G. Kaardal  
Mohrman, Kaardal & Erickson, P.A.  
150 South Fifth Street – Suite 3100  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

vs. A18-1007

Sarah Strommen, et al.,

Appellants.

Keith Ellison  
Minnesota Attorney General  
Liz Kramer  
Solicitor General  
Christina Brown  
Assistant Attorney General  
445 Minnesota Street – Suite 900  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Opinion Court of Appeals

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**Tuesday, November 19, 2019**

**Nonoral**

Emad Abed,  
Relator, Emad Abed  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414

vs. A19-0485

ERA Venture Capital and Amtrust Group,  
Respondents. Tracy M. Borash  
Sean M. Abernathy  
Brown & Carlson, P.A.  
300 Highway 169 South – Suite 500  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55426

Minnesota Workers' Compensation Court of Appeals

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**Nonoral**

Daniela R. Sanderson,  
Respondent, James W. Balmer  
Falsani, Balmer, Peterson & Balmer  
306 West Superior Street – Suite 1200  
Duluth, Minnesota 55802

vs. A19-0549

Independent School District 316 and RAM  
Mutual Insurance Co.,  
Relators. Jerome D. Feriancek  
Trial Group North, PLLP  
800 Lonsdale Building  
302 West Superior Street  
Duluth, Minnesota 55802

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Case Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ representing \_\_\_\_\_

will argue this case before the Minnesota Supreme Court on \_\_\_\_\_ in  
(*please mark which courtroom*) \_\_\_\_\_ State Capitol \_\_\_\_\_ Judicial Center.

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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