

Court of Appeals, Division One

Civil Appeal

1 CA-CV 25-0154

BELSANTI v. KUTAK ROCK, et al.

Appellate Case Information

Case Filed: 25-Feb-2025

Case Closed:

Dept/Composition

Department E

Hon. D Steven Williams
Hon. Andrew M Jacobs
Hon. Michael S Catlett

Side 1. REGINA ELENE BELSANTI, Plaintiff/Appellant

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CASE STATUS

Apr 28, 2026.... Pending in ASC

Table with 6 columns: PREDECESSOR CASE(S), Cause/Charge/Class, Judgment/Sentence, Judge, Role <Comments>, Trial, Dispo. Row 1: MAR, CV2023-006738, Professional Negligence, Jennifer C Ryan-Touhill, Authoring Judge of Order.

Table with 2 columns: DESCENDENT CASE(S), Cause/Charge/Class. Row 1: ASC, CV-26-0139-PR.

CASE DECISION

20-Mar-2026 MEMORANDUM DECISION

Michael Catlett.....Author
D Williams.....Concur
Andrew Jacobs.....Concur

Filed: 20-Mar-2026 Mandate:

Table with 1 column: Decision Disposition. Row 1: Vacated, Remanded.

37 PROCEEDING ENTRIES

- 1. 25-Feb-2025 FILED: Index of Record, Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 01/27/25
2. 25-Feb-2025 FILED: e-Record on Appeal: Instruments/Minute Entries Exhibits: None
3. 25-Feb-2025 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice re: Appellant's Fee/Case Management Statement/Brief Due
4. 25-Feb-2025 FILED: Notice of Appearance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
5. 28-Feb-2025 RECEIPT No.: 2025-00204 ; \$330.00, Authorization: # 59005591073, Applied to: REGINA MCCRACKEN - Class A Filing Fee (\$330.00) Paid for: Robert G Schaffer PLC - By nCourt, LLC
6. 14-Mar-2025 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice re: Appellee's Fee; Appellant's Brief/Case Management Statement Due
7. 14-Mar-2025 FILED: Settlement Conference Program Notice
8. 17-Mar-2025 FILED: Appellant's Case Management Statement (Appellant)
9. 20-Mar-2025 RECEIPT No.: 2025-00284 ; \$165.00, Check Number: #359747, Applied to: KUTAK ROCK, LLP, et al. - Class B Filing Fee (\$165.00) Paid for: - By Stinson LLP
10. 21-Apr-2025 FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Opening Brief (First Request); Certificate of Service (Appellant)

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11.	21-Apr-2025	ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Opening Brief (First Request) (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 04-28-2025 to Friday, 05-30-2025. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will dismiss this appeal. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
12.	30-May-2025	FILED: Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
13.	2-Jun-2025	FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Correct Caption to Reflect Appellant's Name Change; Certificate of Service; Courtesy Copy - Consent Decree of Dissolution of Non-Covenant Marriage-With Children, filed 09/20/2023 in Maricopa County Court (Appellant)
14.	2-Jun-2025	FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 01/16/2025 - Motion for Summary Judgment (Michele Kaley) (Appellant)
15.	2-Jun-2025	FILED: Notice of Filing Transcript; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
16.	2-Jun-2025	ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Correct Caption to Reflect Appellant's Name Change (Appellant) = GRANTED and amending the caption and docket in this appeal by changing appellant's name to Regina Helene Belsanti. All future documents filed in this appeal must use the caption shown on this order. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
17.	9-Jun-2025	FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Answering Brief (First Request); Certificate of Service (Appellees)
18.	10-Jun-2025	ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Answering Brief (First Request) (Appellees) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Wednesday, 07-09-2025 to Friday, 08-08-2025. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will submit this appeal for decision on the record and the opening brief. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
19.	13-Jun-2025	RECEIPT No.: 2025-00666 ; \$165.00, Authorization: 64004163651, Applied to: KUTAK ROCK, LLP, et al. - Overpayment Class B (\$165.00) Paid for: Stinson LLP - By nCourt LLC
20.	13-Jun-2025	RECEIPT No.: 2025-00670 ; \$165.00, Authorization: 64004163651, Applied to: KUTAK ROCK, LLP, et al. - Overpayment Class B (\$165.00) Paid for: Stinson LLP - By nCourt LLC (Memo: X-Ref: 2025-00284 & 20225-00666. Refund needed)
21.	13-Jun-2025	VOID RECEIPT No.: 2025-00666 - \$-165.00, Authorization: 64004163651, - Applied to: KUTAK ROCK, LLP, et al. - Overpayment Class B (\$-165.00) Paid for: Stinson LLP - By: nCourt LLC VOID Reason: X-Ref: 2025-00670. no memo included, but needed. alr.
22.	27-Jun-2025	FILED: Letter dated 06/26/2025 to Stinson LLP from Court re: enclosing check # 114615 in the amount of \$165.00 for refund of monies submitted in error.
23.	8-Aug-2025	FILED: Defendants/Appellees' Answering Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service for Answering Brief, Appendix and Certificate of Compliance (Appellee)
24.	8-Aug-2025	FILED: Appendix to Appellees Answering Brief (Appellee)
25.	8-Aug-2025	FILED: Notice of Filing Copies of Memorandum Decisions Cited in Answering Brief; Certificate of Service for Notice of Filing Copies of Memorandum Decisions Cited in Answering Brief (Appellee)
26.	22-Aug-2025	FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Reply Brief (First Request); Certificate of Service (Appellant)
27.	25-Aug-2025	ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order for Extension of Time to File Reply Brief (First Request) (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Thursday, 08-28-2025 to Friday, 09-05-2025. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will submit this appeal for decision on the record and the filed briefs. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
28.	5-Sep-2025	FILED: Reply Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
29.	10-Oct-2025	FILED: Memorandum – to Clerk of Superior Court Re: any additional record not already transmitted due within 10 days
30.	20-Oct-2025	FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record
31.	27-Oct-2025	CLNDR: CONFERENCE, Department E, 12-18-25, COURTROOM 2.
32.	20-Mar-2026	MEMORANDUM DECISION (Vacated, Remanded) Hon Michael S Catlett - Author; Hon D Steven Williams - Concur; Hon Andrew M Jacobs - Concur
33.	20-Mar-2026	FILED: Decision Distribution Notification
34.	1-Apr-2026	FILED: Defendants/Appellees' Motion for Reconsideration; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service for Defendants/Appellees' Motion for Reconsideration; Exhibit A (Appellees)
35.	14-Apr-2026	ORDERED: Defendants/Appellees' Motion for Reconsideration (Appellees) = DENIED. Hon Michael S Catlett - Author
36.	1-May-2026	FILED: Email Notice from ASC re: Petition for Review filed 04/28/2026; request for partial record
37.	4-May-2026	FILED: Letter forwarding partial record to Arizona Supreme Court