# Court of Appeals, Division One

## Special Action

## 1 CA-SA 26-0124 — ANDERTON v. DPS, et al.

**Appellate Case Information**

Case Filed: 31-Mar-2026
Case Closed: 1-Jun-2026
Reinstated x 1: 22-Jun-2026 Jurisdiction Declined
Re-Closed:

**Dept/Composition**

**Department E**

Hon. Michael J Brown
Hon. Veronika Fabian
Hon. Randall M Howe

**Side 1. CASEY ANDERTON, Petitioner**

**(Litigant Group) ANDERTON**

- **Casey Anderton** — PRO SE

**Side 2. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, et al., Respondent**

**(Litigant Group) DPS**

- **State of Arizona**
- **Michael White, Arizona Department of Public Safety**
- **Kenneth Ellis, Jr., Arizona Department of Public Safety**
- **Jeffrey D Glover, Arizona Department of Public Safety**

**Attorney for: Respondent DPS**

Matthew J Kelly, Esq. (AZ Bar No. 20526)

**(Litigant Group) OME**

- **Maricopa County Medical Examiners Office**

**Attorney for: Respondent OME**

Kimberly K Miles, Esq. (AZ Bar No. 17380)

**CASE STATUS**

**Jun 22, 2026....Reinstated Case** | Jun 12, 2026....**Pending in ASC**

| PREDECESSOR CASE(S) | | Cause/Charge/Class | Judgment/Sentence | Judge, Role <Comments> | Trial | Dispo |
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| MAR | CV 2025-017512 | | | Adam D Driggs, Authoring Judge of Order | | |

**DESCENDENT CASE(S)**

ASC CV-26-0179-PR

**2 CASE DECISIONS**

**21-Apr-2026 ORDER**

***Vacated***
ORDERED: Untitled (Petition for Special Action) (Petitioner Pro Per) = DISMISSED.

**Melina Brill**.....Author

Filed: **21-Apr-2026** Mandate:

Decision Disposition: ***Dismissed***

**24-Apr-2026 ORDER**

ORDERED: Untitled (Petition for Special Action) (Petitioner Pro Per) = JURISDICTION DECLINED.

**Michael Brown**.....Author

Filed: **24-Apr-2026** Mandate:

Decision Disposition: ***Jurisdiction Declined***

**17 PROCEEDING ENTRIES**

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| 1. | 31-Mar-2026 | FILED: Untitled (Petition for Special Action); Certificate of Compliance; Contact Information Sheet - Special Action; Certificate of Service; Order Regarding Deferral or Waiver of Court Fees and Costs; Petition for Special Action (Cover Page Only) (Petitioner Pro Per) |
| 2. | 31-Mar-2026 | FILED: Notice, 3/31/26, to Petitioner from Court Re: filing fee due by 4/14/26, or petition will be subject to dismissal |
| 3. | 21-Apr-2026 | ORDERED: Untitled (Petition for Special Action) (Petitioner Pro Per) = DISMISSED. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author |
| 4. | 22-Apr-2026 | FILED: Motion to Reconsider/Reinstate Special Action; Exhibit 1 (Petitioner Pro Per) |
| 5. | 23-Apr-2026 | ORDERED: Motion to Reconsider/Reinstate Special Action (Petitioner Pro Per) = GRANTED. FURTHER ORDERED: directing the Clerk of the Court to issue a Court of Appeals Clerk Notice. Hon Randall M Howe - Author |
| 6. | 23-Apr-2026 | FILED: Special Action Clerk Notice (Assigned to Dept E, Judges Brown, Fabian, Howe) |
| 7. | 23-Apr-2026 | FILED: Special Action Stay Hearing Scheduling Requirements |



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| 8. | 24-Apr-2026 | ORDERED: Untitled (Petition for Special Action) (Petitioner Pro Per) = JURISDICTION DECLINED. Hon Michael J Brown - Author |
| 9. | 27-Apr-2026 | RECEIPT No.: 2026-00546 ; $330.00, Authorization: #17012515971, Applied to: ANDERTON - Class A Filing Fee ($330.00) Paid for: Casey Anderton - By nCourt LLC |
| 10. | 28-Apr-2026 | FILED: Motion for Reconsideration; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Petitioner Pro Per) |
| 11. | 12-May-2026 | ORDERED: Motion for Reconsideration (Petitioner Pro Per) = DENIED. Hon Michael J Brown - Author |
| 12. | 1-Jun-2026 | FILED: Letter, 06/01/2026, Copy of Order Declining Special Action Jurisdiction. No physical record to be returned to clerk, Maricopa County Superior Court.<br><br>[Vacated per order filed 6/22/26] |
| 13. | 12-Jun-2026 | FILED: Email Notice from ASC re: Petition for Review filed 06/12/2026; request for partial record |
| 14. | 19-Jun-2026 | FILED: ASC Order Filed 6/19/2026 re: Dismissing the matter |
| 15. | 22-Jun-2026 | ORDERED: vacating the termination letter filed 6/1/26 and reinstating this petition for special action for the purpose of transferring documents requested by the Arizona Supreme Court for review. Hon Randall M Howe - Author |
| 16. | 22-Jun-2026 | FILED: Letter forwarding partial record to Arizona Supreme Court |
| 17. | 23-Jun-2026 | FILED: ASC Order filed 6/23/2026 re: Motion for Reconsideration denied |



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