

OHIO BOARD OF TAX APPEALS

Board of Education of the)	CASE NO. 2008-M-2035
Hilliard City Schools,)	
)	(REAL PROPERTY TAX)
Appellant,)	
)	ORDER
vs.)	
)	(Compelling Discovery)
Franklin County Board of)	
Revision, the Franklin County)	
Auditor, and Lee Scott, Tr.,)	
)	
Appellees.)	

APPEARANCES:

For the Appellant -	Rich, & Gillis Law Group, LLC Mark H. Gillis 300 East Broad Street, Suite 300 Columbus, Ohio 43215
For the County Appellees -	Ron O'Brien Franklin County Prosecuting Attorney Paul Stickel Assistant Prosecuting Attorney 373 S. High Street, 20 th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215
For the Property Owner -	Siegel Siegel Johnson & Jennings Co., LPA Nicholas Ray 3001 Bethel Road, Suite 208 Columbus, Ohio 43220

Entered January 27, 2009

This matter is before the Board of Tax Appeals pursuant to a motion to compel discovery filed by counsel for the Board of Education of the Hilliard City Schools (“BOE”). The BOE asks this board to order the property owner, Lee Scott, Tr., to respond to interrogatories and to comply with its request for the production of documents.

Upon review of the motion, the memorandum in support attached thereto, and the record as a whole, the board finds that the property owner has failed to respond to

the discovery requests within the time prescribed by this board's Rules of Practice and Procedure. Ohio Adm. Code 5717-1-11(A)(3). The property owner's counsel has provided no reasons why there has been no reply to the discovery requests.

It is therefore ordered that the property owner shall provide to counsel for the BOE both answers to the interrogatories and copies of the requested documents within FOURTEEN (14) days of the issuance of this order.

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