

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

No. 113,267

LUKE GANNON, *ET AL*,
Appellees,

v.

STATE OF KANSAS,
Appellant.

ORDER

The court has considered the State's June 29, 2015, motion for stay of operation and enforcement of the district court panel's memorandum opinion and order of June 26. The court has also considered the Appellees' response dated June 30. We acknowledge the filing this date of the State's reply and of Secretary of Administration Jim Clark's motion for stay of operation and enforcement of the panel's judgment.

We hold the State has made the basic showing required to support its request for relief. See *Nken v. Holder*, 556 U.S. 418, 434, 129 S. Ct. 1749, 173 L. Ed. 2d 550 (2009). Accordingly, this court stays the panel's memorandum opinion and order of June 26 until our further order or the issuance of our mandate.

The court recognizes the need for swift resolution of the equity portion of this case. An order soon will be issued outlining an expedited briefing schedule and setting an oral argument date for this issue.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 30th day of June 2015.



Lawton R. Nuss,
Chief Justice