

[Cite as *In re Kufchak*, 2005-Ohio-5675.]

**IN THE COURT OF CLAIMS OF OHIO**

**VICTIMS OF CRIME DIVISION**

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IN RE: JUDI R. KUFCHAK	:	Case No. V2005-80347
JUDI R. KUFCHAK	:	<u>ORDER OF A THREE-</u>
Applicant	:	<u>COMMISSIONER PANEL</u>
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{¶ 1} On January 11, 2005, the applicant filed a reparations application seeking reimbursement of expenses incurred with respect to a September 4, 2002 domestic violence incident. On February 15, 2005, the Attorney General denied the claim pursuant to R.C. 2743.56(B) and R.C. 2743.60(A) since the applicant failed to file a reparations application within two years of the criminally injurious conduct. On February 25, 2005, the applicant filed a request for reconsideration. On April 19, 2005, the Attorney General denied the claim once again. On May 3, 2005, the applicant filed a notice of appeal to the Attorney General's April 19, 2005 Final Decision. Hence, this matter came to be heard before this panel of three commissioners on July 28, 2005 at 10:45 A.M.

{¶ 2} Neither the applicant nor anyone on her behalf appeared at the hearing. An Assistant Attorney General attended the hearing and stated that the applicant's claim should be denied since she failed to file a timely reparations application.

{¶ 3} From review of the file, we find that the May 3, 2005 decision of the Attorney General shall be affirmed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT

- 1) The May 3, 2005 decision of the Attorney General is AFFIRMED;
- 2) This claim is DENIED and judgment is rendered for the state of Ohio;
- 3) Costs are assumed by the court of claims victims of crime fund.

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JAMES H. HEWITT III  
Commissioner

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LLOYD PIERRE-LOUIS  
Commissioner

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RANDI OSTRY LE HOTY  
Commissioner

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A copy of the foregoing was personally served upon the Attorney General and sent by regular mail to Summit County Prosecuting Attorney and to:

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