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SLIP OPINION No. 2019-OHIO-168

THE STATE OF OHIO, APPELLANT, v. AMOS, APPELLEE.

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Appeal dismissed as having been improvidently accepted.

(No. 2017-1778—Submitted January 9, 2019—Decided January 23, 2019.)

APPEAL from the Court of Appeals for Hamilton County,

Nos. C-160717 and C-160718, 2017-Ohio-8448.

{¶ 1} This case is dismissed as having been improvidently accepted. FRENCH, OSOWIK, DEWINE, DONNELLY, and STEWART, JJ., concur. O'CONNOR, C.J., and KENNEDY, J., dissent.

THOMAS J. OSOWIK, J., of the Sixth District Court of Appeals, sitting for FISCHER, J.

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SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

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