



VERMONT SUPREME COURT  
HEARING CALENDAR  
JANUARY TERM, 2018

Unless otherwise noted, the cases listed below will be before the following panel of three Justices:

**Marilyn S. Skoglund, Beth Robinson, Karen R. Carroll**

The hearings will take place at the Vermont Supreme Court, 111 State St., Montpelier, VT. The cases are scheduled for a total of 10 minutes. Each side has 5 minutes. Two cases are listed for each time slot. The parties for both cases must be present at the listed starting time. The second argument will begin immediately after the first ends. Parties may present oral argument either in person or by video conference. A party that wants to appear by video must notify the docket clerk in writing no later than three business days before the scheduled argument date. Typically, the Court issues entry orders disposing these cases within 2 working days of the argument.

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**The following cases will be argued before the Court.**

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**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 31, 2018, 10-minute hearings**

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**1. 9:00 AM 2017-351** Henry B. Shipman\* v. Town of Plymouth  
Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Henry B. Shipman - ProSe  
Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Paul S. Gillies

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**2. 9:30 AM 2017-286** David & Peggy Howrigan\* v. Ronald & Lynn Paradis\*\*  
Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Avi J. Springer, Peter F. Langrock  
Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Matthew B. Byrne, Robert B. Hemley

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**3. 10:15 AM 2017-047** Marjorie Johnston\* v. City of Rutland  
Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Marjorie & Kamberleigh Johnston - ProSe  
Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Charles A. Romeo

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**4. 10:15 AM 2017-244** Leander A. Decato\* v. Jean A. Decato  
Appellant(s) Attorney(s): R. Peter Decato  
Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Melvin D. Fink

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**5. 10:45 AM 2017-139** Marthanne G. Carver v. Marcel A. Dionne\*  
Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Marcel Dionne - ProSe  
Appellee(s) Attorney(s): John P. Wirth, Marthanne Carver - ProSe

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**The following case will be submitted to the Court on the briefs filed without oral argument.**

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**6 .                    2017-214** State of Vermont v. Alan R. Osgood, Jr.\*

Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Albert Schaal Fox, Allison N. Fulcher

Appellee(s) Attorney(s): David E. Tartter

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**7 .                    2017-245** Claude Ammons, Jr.\* v. MVM, Inc., Martin Novia & Michael Rand

Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Susan J. Flynn

Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Kaveh S. Shahi

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**8 .                    2017-332** Mirela Pasic\* v. University of Vermont Medical Center

Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Christopher J. McVeigh

Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Christina Rainville, Stephen D. Ellis

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**9 .                    2017-319** In re A.L., Juvenile (K.S., Mother\* & R.L., Father\*)

Appellant(s) Attorney(s): Adele V. Pastor, Andrew M. Higley, Julianne R. Woolard, Sarah Roberts Star

Appellee(s) Attorney(s): Bridget Ruth Grace, Jody A. Racht, Lisa A. Warren, Philip R. Danielson, Rebecca N. Turner

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