



The [Connecticut Supreme Court](#) will start the fourth term of the 2015-16 court year on Monday, Dec. 7. The upcoming term will end on Wednesday, Dec. 16. Cases argued this term will occur at the [Supreme Court courtroom, 231 Capitol Ave., Hartford.](#)

The [2015-16 court year has eight terms](#), and [assignments for days and summaries](#) are posted on the Judicial Branch's website before each term begins. Links to case summaries for the fourth term are provided below, along with links to the case details and briefs. Please note that all calendar assignments are subject to change.

If a media organization wishes to submit a camera request, please review [Chapter 70 of the Connecticut Practice Book](#) and the [Protocol for the Broadcasting, Televising, Recording or Photographing of Supreme Court Oral Arguments.](#)

In addition, here are a few facts about the Supreme Court that may be of interest:

- Of Connecticut's chief justices, the Hon. Patrick B. O'Sullivan was the oldest to be appointed to the position, at age 69 and 8 months. He became chief justice in 1957 and remained as such until he turned 70, the mandatory retirement age for justices and judges.
- Connecticut's current chief justice, [Chase T. Rogers](#), was the youngest person appointed as chief justice, at age 50 in April 2007.
- The Hon. William M. Maltbie served the longest term – 20 years – as chief justice, from 1930 to 1950, and had been the youngest appointed at age 50 and 8 months. Chief Justice Rogers became the youngest by just a few months.
- The Hon. Stephen Mix Mitchell was the first chief justice (since the current form of organization was adopted). He became chief justice in 1807 and served in the position until 1814.

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Cases for the December term are:

- [State v. Brandon Montrell Bellamy](#), from the New Haven Judicial District, Monday, Dec. 8, 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Terry P. Herring](#), from the New Britain Judicial District, Monday, Dec. 7, 11 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Stephen M. Sabato](#), from the Danbury Judicial District, Tuesday, Dec. 8, 10 a.m. & 11 a.m., [case details and briefs](#).

- [Anna Marie Gillotti Blakely, Administratrix of the Estate of Benny A. Gillotti v. Danbury Hospital](#), from the Danbury Judicial District, Wednesday, Dec. 9, 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [NPC Offices LLC v. William Kowaleski et al.](#), from the Middlesex Judicial District, Wednesday, Dec. 9, 11 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Anthony Dyou](#)s, from the Windham Judicial District, Thursday, Dec. 10, 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Anthony D. Sr.](#), from the Hartford Judicial District, Thursday, Dec. 10, 11 a.m., [case detail](#).
- [Nicholas Giannoni, PPA, David and Michelle Giannoni v. Commissioner, Department of Transportation](#), from the Fairfield Judicial District, Friday, Dec. 11, at 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Andrew Dickson](#), from the Fairfield Judicial District, Friday, Dec. 11, at 11 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [William D. Hart v. Federal Express Corp.](#), from the Compensation Review Board, Monday, Dec. 14, at 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Russell Peeler](#), from the Fairfield Judicial District, Monday, Dec. 14, at 11 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Michael Brawley](#), from the Waterbury Judicial District, Tuesday, Dec. 15, at 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [Brian Lewis et al. v. William Clarke et al.](#), from the New London Judicial District, Tuesday, Dec. 15, at 11 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [William C. Stysliger III v. Brewster Park LLC et al.](#), from the Fairfield Judicial District, Tuesday, Dec. 15, at noon, [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. Dante Smith](#), from the Middlesex Judicial District, Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 10 a.m., [case detail and briefs](#).
- [State v. John Maietta](#), from the New Britain Judicial District, Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 11 a.m., [case detail](#).