(ORDER LIST: 525 U.S.)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1999

CERTIORARI GRANTED

98-238 WEST, SEC. OF VA V. GIBSON, MICHAEL

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted.

The brief of the Solicitor General is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Thursday, February 25, 1999. The brief of respondent is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Wednesday, March 24, 1999.

A reply brief, if any, is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Monday, April 12, 1999. Rule 29.2 does not apply.

98-387 GREATER NEW ORLEANS BROADCASTING V. UNITED STATES, ET AL.

The petition for writ of certiorari is granted. The brief of petitioners is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Thursday, February 25, 1999. The brief of the Solicitor General is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Wednesday, March 24, 1999. A reply brief, if any, is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Monday, April 12, 1999. Rule 29.2 does not apply.

98-507 SNYDER, JAMES V. TREPAGNIER, SIDNEY, ET AL.

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted limited to the following questions: 1. Whether a jury finding that a

constitutional violation incurred by use of excessive force in an arrest necessarily precludes a finding of qualified immunity, so as to make such dual findings irreconcilable?

2. Whether a reviewing court may reconcile apparent inconsistencies in special jury verdicts despite possible defects in special interrogatories submitted, by determining whether, upon review of the entire record, the verdict as a whole was reasonable and supported by the evidence? The brief of petitioner is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Thursday, February 25, 1999.

The brief of respondents is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Wednesday, March 24, 1999. A reply brief, if any, is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Monday, April 12, 1999. Rule 29.2 does not apply.

98-727 CUNNINGHAM TERESA V. HAMILTON COUNTY

The petition for a writ of certiorari is granted limited to Question 1 presented by the petition. The brief of petitioner is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Thursday, February 25, 1999. The brief of respondent is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before Wednesday, March 24, 1999. A reply brief, if any, is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Monday, April 12, 1999.