The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

THE LEMOINE COMPANY, L.L.C., METRO SERVICE MANAGEMENT GROUP, LLC, AND THE MCDONNEL GROUP, LLC

No. 2023-C-00763

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IN RE: Ernest N. Morial New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority - Applicant Defendant; Applying For Writ Of Certiorari, Parish of Orleans Civil, Orleans Civil District Court Number(s) 2021-07651, Court of Appeal, Fourth Circuit, Number(s) 2022-CA-0217;

October 17, 2023

Writ application granted. See per curiam.

SJC
JDH
WJC
JBM
PDG

Weimer, C.J., dissents and would grant and docket and assigns reasons. Genovese, J., dissents and assigns reasons.

Supreme Court of Louisiana October 17, 2023

Kate Marjanouja

Chief Deputy Clerk of Court For the Court

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PER CURIAM

In light of the unique and extenuating circumstances presented herein, and given the time-sensitive nature of the ongoing project, the court of appeal is reversed. The judgment of the trial court, which found the Authority's decision to award the contract to AECOM-Hunt/Broadmoor was not arbitrary and capricious, is reinstated.