MURRELL V. KEITHLEY, 1985-NMSC-042, 102 N.M. 565, 698 P.2d 435 (S. Ct. 1985)

H. J. MURRELL, M.D., DOYLE SIMMONS, M.D., and X-RAY ASSOCIATES, a New Mexico corporation, Petitioners, vs.

MRS. WAYNE KEITHLEY, Personal Representative of the Estate of Wayne Keithley, Respondent, ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL, Petitioner, and H. J. MURRELL, M.D.; DOYLE SIMMONS, M.D.; and X-RAY ASSOCIATES, a New Mexico corporation, Defendants, v. MRS. WAYNE KEITHLEY, Personal Representative of the Estate of Wayne Keithley, Respondent.

Nos. 15676, 15678

SUPREME COURT OF NEW MEXICO

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JUDGES

Federici, C.J., wrote the opinion. WE CONCUR: DAN SOSA, JR., Senior Justice, MARY C. WALTERS, Justice. WILLIAM RIORDAN, Justice, dissenting. HARRY E. STOWERS, Jr., Justice, dissenting.

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OPINION

WILLIAM R. FEDERICI, Chief Justice.

ORDER

{1} The writs of certiorari heretofore issued by this Court are quashed as having been improvidently granted. **See Kern v. St. Joseph Hospital, Inc.,** 102 N.M. 452, 697 P.2d 135 (1985). In the event of any conflict between **Kern** and **Keithley v. St. Joseph's Hospital,** 102 N.M. 565,698 P.2d 435, 23 SBB 1220 (Ct. App.1984), **Kern** shall control. This order together with the opinion of the Court of Appeals shall be published.

{2} IT IS SO ORDERED.

SOSA, Senior Justice, and WALTERS, J., concur.

RIORDAN, and STOWERS, JJ., dissenting.