Civil Appeal

### 1 CA-CV 22-0760

### ELI, et al. v. PROCACCIANTI

#### **Appellate Case Information**

Case Filed: 22-Dec-2022

Case Closed:

**Dept/Composition** 

Department E

Hon. Anni Hill Foster Hon. Brian Y Furuya Hon. Randall M Howe

Consolidated with: 1 CA-CV 23-0314

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#### CASE STATUS

Jul 9, 2024...... Decision Rendered

| PREDECE | SSOR CASE(S)  | Cause/Charge/Class | Judgment/Sentence | Judge, Role <comments></comments>          | Trial | Dispo |
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| MAR     | CV2018-014021 |                    |                   |  |       |       |
| MAR     | CV2018-055021 | Breach of Contract |                   | Gary L Popham, Authoring<br>Judge of Order |       |       |

### 2 OPEN DUE DATES

Motion for Reconsideration due Due By: Wednesday, July 24, 2024

Re: MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon Randall M Howe - Author; Hon Anni Hill Foster - Concur; Hon

Brian Y Furuya - Concur

Petition for Review to ASC due Due By: Thursday, August 8, 2024

Re: MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon Randall M Howe - Author; Hon Anni Hill Foster - Concur; Hon

Brian Y Furuya - Concur

#### CASE DECISION

| 09-Jul-2024 MEMORANDUM DECISION |
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Randall Howe......Author Filed: 09-Jul-2024 Mandate:

Anni Foster.....Concur Decision Disposition

Brian Furuya.....Concur Affirmed

### **DECISION APPLIES TO THE FOLLOWING OTHER CASE(S)**

1 CA-CV 23-0314 ELI, et al. v. PROCACCIANTI

### 81 PROCEEDING ENTRIES

1. 22-Dec-2022 FILED: Index of Record, Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 11/23/22

2. 22-Dec-2022 FILED: e-Record on Appeal: (CV2018-055021)

Instruments/Minute Entries

Exhibits: None

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| 3.  | 22-Dec-2022 | FILED: e-Record on Appeal:(CV2018-014021) Instruments/Minute Entries Exhibits: None   |
| 4.  | 22-Dec-2022 | FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice re: Appellant's Fee/Case Management Statement/Brief Due   |
| 5.  | 10-Jan-2023 | RECEIPT No.: 2023-00037 ; \$280.00, Authorization: #10008508665, Applied to: ZADOK ELI, et al Class A Filing Fee (\$280.00) Paid for: Michael Calovich - By nCourt LLC  |
| 6.  | 11-Jan-2023 | FILED: Case Management Statement; Certificate of Service (Appellant)  |
| 7.  | 17-Jan-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response to Appellants' Case Management Statement; Certificate of Service (Appellee)  |
| 8.  | 20-Jan-2023 | FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice re: Appellant's Brief Due   |
| 9.  | 23-Jan-2023 | RECEIPT No.: 2023-00078 ; \$140.00, Authorization: #23007934163, Applied to: PROCACCIANTI AZ II, LP - Class B Filing Fee (\$140.00) Paid for: Spencer Fane LLP - By nCourt LLC  |
| 10. | 2-Feb-2023  | FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Extend Time to File Opening Brief; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 11. | 3-Feb-2023  | ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Extend Time to File Opening Brief (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Tuesday, 02-21-2023 to Thursday, 03-23-2023. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will dismiss this appeal. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 12. | 6-Mar-2023  | FILED: Motion For Procedural Order To Stay Appeal And Remand For Determination; Certificate of Service (Appellant)  |
| 13. | 8-Mar-2023  | FILED: Appellees' Response In Opposition To Appellants' Motion For Procedural Order To Stay Appeal And Remand For Determination; Certificate Of Service Of Appellees' Response In Opposition To Appellants' Motion For Procedural Order To Stay Appeal And Remand For Determination; Exhibits 1 - 2 (Appellee)  |
| 14. | 8-Mar-2023  | ORDERED: Vacating the 03/23/2023 due date for the opening brief. The order ruling on the pending motion to stay will set a due date to file the opening brief. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 15. | 15-Mar-2023 | FILED: Reply In Support For Motion For Procedural Order To Stay Appeal And Remand For Determination; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 16. | 22-Mar-2023 | ORDERED: Motion For Procedural Order To Stay Appeal And Remand For Determination (Appellant) = GRANTED and, under Arizona Rule of Civil Appellate Procedure 3(b), staying this appeal until 05/05/2023. FURTHER ORDERED: Revesting jurisdiction in the Maricopa County Superior Court and authorizing that court to consider a Motion to Enforce Settlement. This court does not express an opinion regarding the merits of that motion. FURTHER ORDERED: Lifting the stay automatically on 05/05/2023, unless before that date, appellants file a motion to continue the stay of this appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: Within 10 days after the superior court rules on the Motion to Enforce Settlement, appellants must file a notice in this court with the ruling attached. FURTHER ORDERED: The opening brief is due on 06/05/2023. Hon David B Gass - Author |
| 17. | 28-Apr-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Notice of Denial of Appellants' Motion to Enforce Settlement; Certificate of Service (Appellee)   |
| 18. | 2-May-2023  | ORDERED: Lifting the stay of this appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: Pursuant to the court's order staying appeal, the opening brief is due on 06/05/2023. If the opening brief is not timely filed, the court will dismiss this appeal. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 19. | 5-May-2023  | FILED: Notice; Notice – Certificate of Service (Appellant)  |
| 20. | 5-May-2023  | FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (CV2018-055021)  |
| 21. | 9-May-2023  | ORDERED: Affirming the court's 05/02/2023 order lifting the stay of this appeal and directing the opening brief to be filed by 06/05/2023. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 22. | 15-May-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Motion for Procedural Order to Consolidate Appeals; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 23. | 16-May-2023 | FILED: Appellee's Response to Appellants' Motion for Procedural Order to Consolidate Appeals Motion to Dismiss Appeal; Certificate of Service; Exhibit 1 (Appellee)   |
| 24. | 24-May-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Reply for Procedural Order to Consolidate Appeals; Certificate of Service - Appellants' Reply for Procedural Order to Consolidate Appeals (Appellant)  |
| 25. | 30-May-2023 | ORDERED: Appellants' Motion for Procedural Order to Consolidate Appeals (Appellant) = GRANTED. FURTHER ORDERED: Staying this appeal pending further order of the court and vacating the 06/05/2023 due date for the opening brief. FURTHER ORDERED: Within 10 days after this court assigns a case number to the appeal arising from the 05/05/2023 notice of appeal, and the required filing fee is paid, appellants shall file a notice in this appeal indicating the new case number. Hon Kent E Cattani - Author  |

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| 26. | 5-Jul-2023  | FILED: Appellants [sic] Notice of Filing Fee in 1-CA-CV-23-0314 (Motion to Finalize Consolidation); Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 27. | 10-Jul-2023 | ORDERED: Appellants [sic] Notice of Filing Fee in 1-CA-CV-23-0314 (Motion to Finalize Consolidation) (Appellant) = GRANTED and consolidating cases 1 CA-CV 22-0760 and 1 CA-CV 23-0314. Case 1 CA-CV 22-0760 is designated the primary number, and the above caption must be used on all future documents filed in this appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: Opening brief in this consolidated appeal is due by 08/09/2023. Barbara Vidal Vaught ProTem Judge - Author  |
|     |             | [Amended per order filed 07/10/2023]   |
| 28. | 10-Jul-2023 | AMENDED ORDER: Appellants [sic] Notice of Filing Fee in 1-CA-CV-23-0314 (Motion to Finalize Consolidation) (Appellant) = GRANTED and lifting the stay of this appeal and consolidating cases 1 CA-CV 22-0760 and 1 CA-CV 23-0314. Case 1 CA-CV 22-0760 is designated the primary number, and the above caption must be used on all future documents filed in this appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: Opening brief in this consolidated appeal is due by 08/09/2023. Barbara Vidal Vaught ProTem Judge - Author                                      |
| 29. | 17-Jul-2023 | FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record   |
| 30. | 7-Aug-2023  | FILED: Appellees' Statement to Correct Appellants' Case Management Statement; Certificate of Service of Appellees' Statement to Correct Appellants' Case Management Statement (Appellee)   |
| 31. | 9-Aug-2023  | FILED: Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance - Opening Brief; Certificate of Service - Opening Brief (Appellant)  |
| 32. | 9-Aug-2023  | FILED: Exhibit 26 (Appendix Volume 5) (Appellant)  |
| 33. | 9-Aug-2023  | FILED: Appendix to Opening Brief; Exhibit C (Appendix Volume 2); Exhibit L (Appendix Volume 3); Exhibit G (Appendix Volume 4) (Appellant)  |
| 34. | 11-Aug-2023 | FILED: Appellants' ARCAP Rule 3(B) Motion to Suspend the Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Superior Court to Consider Their Rule 60(D)(3) Motions to Set Aside Judgments Against Plaintiffs and Stay Proceedings; Certificate of Service - Motion to Suspend Appeal (Appellant)  |
| 35. | 14-Aug-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response to Appellants' ARCAP Rule 3(B) Motion to Suspend the Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Superior Court to Consider Their Rule 60(d)(3) Motions to Set Aside Judgments Against Plaintiffs and Stay Proceedings; Certificate of Service of Appellees' Response to Appellants [sic] ARCAP Rule 3(B) Motion to Suspend the Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Superior Court to Consider Their Rule 60(D)(3) Motions to Set Aside Judgments Against Plaintiffs and Stay Proceedings. [sic] (Appellee)         |
| 36. | 21-Aug-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Reply in Support of ARCAP Rule 3(B) Motion to Suspend the Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Superior Court to Consider Their Rule 60(D)(3) Motions to Set Aside Judgments Against Plaintiffs and Stay Proceedings; Certificate of Serivce [sic] – Reply to Motion to Suspend Appeal (Appellant)   |
| 37. | 30-Aug-2023 | ORDERED: Appellants' ARCAP Rule 3(B) Motion to Suspend the Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Superior Court to Consider Their Rule 60(D)(3) Motions to Set Aside Judgments Against Plaintiffs and Stay Proceedings (Appellant) = GRANTED in part and, pursuant to Arizona Rule of Civil Appellate Procedure 3(b), staying this appeal until 10/16/2023. FURTHER ORDERED: Denying that request (request for stay of superior court proceedings). FURTHER ORDERED: The answering brief is due on 11/15/2023. Hon Randall M Howe - Author |
| 38. | 13-Oct-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Notice of Ruling in the Superior Court and Motion for Procedural Order to Continue Stay of Proceedings; Appellants' Notice of Ruling in the Superior Court and Motion for Procedural Order to Continue Stay of Proceedings – Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 39. | 13-Oct-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Notice Of Trial Court Ruling; Certificate Of Service Of Appellees' Notice Of Trial Court Ruling (Appellee)   |
| 40. | 16-Oct-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response to Appellants' Notice of Ruling in the Superior Court and Motion for Procedural Order to Continue Stay of Proceedings; Certificate of Service Appellees' Response to Appellants' Notice of Ruling in the Superior Court and Motion for Procedural Order to Continue Stay of Proceedings; Exhibit 1-3 (Appellees)  |
| 41. | 17-Oct-2023 | FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (CV2018-055021)   |
| 42. | 18-Oct-2023 | FILED: Motion for Procedural Order to Stay or Modify the Superior Court's August 28, 2023 Order to Post a Cash Bond Based Upon a New Court of Appeals' Opinion Filed on September 14, 2023; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 43. | 23-Oct-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response to Appellants' Motion for Procedural Order to Stay or Modify the Superior Court's August 28, 2023 Order to Post a Cash Bond Based Upon a New Court of Appeals' Opinion Filed on September 14, 2023; Certificate of Service of Appellees' Response to Appellants' Motion for Procedural Order to Stay or Modify the Superior Court's August 28, 2023 Order to Post a Cash Bond Based Upon a New Court of Appeals' Opinion Filed on September 14, 2023 (Appellee)   |
| 44. | 23-Oct-2023 | FILED: Plaintiffs' Reply in Support of Motion to Continue to Stay of Appeal; Certificate of Service (Appellant)  |

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| 45. | 26-Oct-2023 |   |
| 46. | 30-Oct-2023 | FILED: Plaintiffs' Reply in Support of Plaintiffs' ARCAP Rule 7(C) Motion to Stay or Modify the Superior Court's August 21, 2023 Order to Post a Cash Bond, Based Upon a New Court of Appeals' Opinion Filed on September 14, 2023; Certificate of Service (Appellants)   |
| 47. | 1-Nov-2023  | ORDERED: Motion for Procedural Order to Stay or Modify the Superior Court's August 28, 2023 Order to Post a Cash Bond Based Upon a New Court of Appeals' Opinion Filed on September 14, 2023 (Appellant) = DENIED. Hon David B Gass - Author  |
| 48. | 16-Nov-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings; Certificate of Service (Appellants)   |
| 49. | 27-Nov-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response To Appellants' Request To Continue The Stay Of The Proceedings; Certificate Of Service Of Appellees' Response To Appellants' Request To Continue The Stay Of The Proceedings (Appellee)  |
| 50. | 28-Nov-2023 | ORDERED: Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings (Appellant) = GRANTED and continuing the stay of this appeal until 12/28/2023, for the purposes set forth in this court's 10/26/2023 stay order. FURTHER ORDERED: If a party wants this court to review any additional rulings, that party must file a timely notice of appeal or amended notice of appeal. If an amended notice of appeal is filed, appellants must notify this court. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author |
| 51. | 18-Dec-2023 | FILED: Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings; Certificate of Service - Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings (Appellants)   |
| 52. | 19-Dec-2023 | FILED: Appellees' Response to Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings; Certificate of Service of Appellees' Response to Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings (Appellees)   |
| 53. | 22-Dec-2023 | FILED: Appellee's Notice of Superior Court Order and Request to Set a Briefing Schedule; Certificate of Service of Appellee's Notice of Superior Court Order and Request to Set a Briefing Schedule (Appellee)  |
| 54. | 26-Dec-2023 | FILED: Courtesy Copy - Maricopa County Superior Court Minute Entry dated 12/21/2023 (filed 12/22/2023) Re: Order Denying Motion for New Trial and Request for Status Conference   |
| 55. | 28-Dec-2023 | FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (includes ruling on Motion for New Trial)  |
| 56. | 3-Jan-2024  | ORDERED: Appellants' Request to Continue the Stay of the Proceedings (Appellants) = DENIED. FURTHER ORDERED: Directing appellants to notify the court by 01/16/2024, regarding whether an amended notice of appeal has been or will be filed. The court will address the briefing schedule when it receives such notice. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 57. | 17-Jan-2024 | FILED: Plaintiffs' Notice to Court of Appeals; Certificate of Service (Appellants)  |
| 58. | 18-Jan-2024 | FILED: Response to Appellants/Plaintiffs' Notice to Court of Appeals; Certificate of Service of Response to Appellants/Plaintiffs' Notice to Court of Appeals (Appellee)  |
| 59. | 19-Jan-2024 | FILED: Request for Clarification; Certificate of Service of Request for Clarification (Appellee)  |
| 60. | 23-Jan-2024 | FILED: Response to Appellees' January 19, 2024 Request for Clarification; Certificate of Service (Appellants)   |
| 61. | 23-Jan-2024 | FILED: Reply to Appellees January 18, 2024 Response to Notice; Certificate of Service - Reply to Appellees January 18, 2024 Response to Notice (Appellant)  |
| 62. | 25-Jan-2024 | ORDERED: Request for Clarification (Appellee) = GRANTED in part and deeming the 06/15/2023 notice of appeal withdrawn. FURTHER ORDERED: The answering brief is due on 02/26/2024. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will submit this appeal for decision on the record and the opening brief. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author  |
| 63. | 12-Feb-2024 | FILED: Defendants/Appellees' Request for Oral Argument; Certificate of Service of Defendants/Appellees' Request for Oral Argument (Appellee)  |
| 64. | 12-Feb-2024 | FILED: Defendants/Appellees' Answering Brief; Certificate of Compliance of Defendants/Appellees' Answering Brief Answering Brief; Certificate of Service of Defendants/Appellees' Answering Brief Answering Brief (Appellee)  |
| 65. | 25-Feb-2024 | FILED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Extend Time to File Answering Brief (Reply Brief); Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 66. | 26-Feb-2024 | ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order to Extend Time to File Answering Brief (Reply Brief) (Appellant) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 03-04-2024 to Monday, 03-11-2024. If the brief is not timely filed, the court will submit this appeal for decision on the record and the filed briefs. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author   |
| 67. | 11-Mar-2024 | FILED: Reply Brief; Reply Brief – Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |

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| 68. | 13-Mar-2024 | FILED: Appellants' Request for Oral Argument; Certificate of Service (Appellants)                                     |
| 69. | 4-Apr-2024  | FILED: Memorandum – to Clerk of Superior Court Re: any additional record not already transmitted due within 10 days   |
| 70. | 9-Apr-2024  | ORDERED: Appellants' Request for Oral Argument (Appellants) = GRANTED. Hon David B Gass - Author                      |
| 71. | 9-Apr-2024  | ORDERED: Defendants/Appellees' Request for Oral Argument (Appellee) = GRANTED. Hon David B Gass - Author              |
| 72. | 9-Apr-2024  | ORDERED: Appellants' Request for Oral Argument (Appellants) = GRANTED. Hon David B Gass - Author                      |
| 73. | 15-Apr-2024 | FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record  |
| 74. | 26-Apr-2024 | CLNDR: MONTHLY COURT CASE CALENDAR, Department E, 6-13-24, 11:00 am, COURTROOM 2.                                     |
| 75. | 26-Apr-2024 | FILED: Notice of Oral Argument  |
| 76. | 29-Apr-2024 | FILED: Return Receipt for Notice of Oral Argument, signed by Andrew Federhar on 04/26/2024 (Appellee)                 |
| 77. | 21-May-2024 | FILED: Return Receipt for Notice of Oral Argument, signed by Robert Porter on 05/16/2024 (Appellant)                  |
| 78. | 21-May-2024 | FILED: Notice of Appearance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)   |
| 79. | 13-Jun-2024 | FILED: Sign-in Sheet/Case is Under Advisement as of 06/13/2024  |
| 80. | 9-Jul-2024  | MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon Randall M Howe - Author; Hon Anni Hill Foster - Concur; Hon Brian Y Furuya - Concu |
| 81. | 9-Jul-2024  | FILED: Decision Distribution Notification   |