Supreme Court Insight Explore history-changing cases and the judicial process

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ProQuest offers researchers unique insight into Supreme Court records and briefs from 1933-Present

The comprehensive collection offers researchers a single location for discovery of Supreme Court dockets, complete opinions, oral arguments, joint appendices and briefs, including those filed by amicus curiae. This user-friendly interface makes it possible to narrow searches within a specific case on a dynamic page. These case compilation pages are organized to maximize understanding of judicial process and to help users quickly identify content in Petition, Merit, and Resolution stages. The original module covers 1975-2016, with updates available separately. A new module covering 1933-1974 is also available.

Supreme Court Insight — Certiorari Denied (Cert Denied), Parts 1 and 2, 1975-Present

Cert Denied, Parts 1 and 2, consists of paid cases that the Supreme Court did not hear. No other online source exists for this complete collection, which dates back to 1975. Due to its size, the collection is offered in 2 parts. Part 1 covers 1997-2017 and Part 2 covers 1975-1996. A prospective product begins with the 2018/2019 term. The product facilitates research and teaching and provides users who also have access to Supreme Court Insight with a unique opportunity to compare and contrast the cases heard with those that were not. The Cert Denied modules include subject indexing, court of origin tagging, and all of the other feature functionality available on Supreme Court Insight. Researchers who have access will also be able to link through to Legislative and Regulatory Insight, providing a full picture of the legislative, executive, and judicial processes and the linkages between them.



Supreme Court Insight features:

- Content associated with each case is compiled on a dynamic page that allows users to search within, filter, and jump
- Case compilation page organized to facilitate understanding of judicial process and help users quickly identify content in Petition and Merit stages
- Harmonized subject indexing and landmark case tagging allow even novice users to locate cases in an area of interest
- Searches by organization or personal names, including names of petitioners, respondents, and attorneys
- Amicus brief indexing allows researchers to retrieve briefs submitted by an organization or a Member of Congress
- Amicus brief pro and con position noted
- Easy-to-locate cases by court of origin
- Easy search by Justice, with opinion type options

Further refine the history compilation page to match research needs:

- Quickly search within the full text of all of the associated publications
- Instantly change the display of the compiled page to include only the highlighted results, or to show highlighted results in the context of the full page
- Limit to show only select content types
- Insight into the judicial process and the workings of the Federal Government

Supreme Court Insight is an invaluable resource for legal researchers, as well as academic researchers from many other disciplines, including U.S. history, political science, women's and gender studies, and more. This stand-alone product also accommodates researchers with access to ProQuest Legislative Insight and/or Regulatory Insight to link directly between products for an even more robust research experience.

Supreme Court Insight users with access to Legislative Insight and Regulatory Insight can link from Supreme Court cases directly related to a Public Law to:

- Research legislative intent behind P.L. provisions germane to the Case
- Link to CRS reports adding perspectives to Case concerns
- Link to regulations germane to the Case
- Link to revised regulations changed because of a Court decision
- Compare perspectives of amicus organizations with testimony submitted by the same organizations in legislative history hearings

Research Cert Denied cases to:

- Compare cases denied with cases heard results on a specific topic such as marriage, LGBT rights, capital punishment, gun control
- Compare patterns of cases heard and denied originating in a specific court
- Retrieve briefs from cert denied cases in the news, blogs, or law review articles

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- Supreme Court Insight 1975-2016/2017 Term
- Supreme Court Insight Annual Update Collections: beginning with 2017/2018 Term
- Supreme Court Insight Certiorari Denied, Part I, 1997-2017/2018 Term
- Supreme Court Insight Certiorari Denied, Part 2, 1975-1996/1997 Term
- Supreme Court Insight Certiorari Denied Annual Update Collections: beginning with 2018/2019 Term
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