

# Ohio Case Law

◆ *State v. Junk*, 2008 Ohio 1564, 2008 Ohio App. LEXIS 1335 (2008): Emergency exception to the Fourth Amendment warrant requirement justified entry into defendant's home when his supervisor reported he had been absent from work without explanation, as they were checking on defendant's welfare, and their observations at the scene gave them reason to believe foul play may have occurred, in addition to their reasonable belief that he could be in physical danger. Defendant had not reported to work, could not be reached by telephone, there were signs that he had not been at his house, and the back door was ajar, allowing snow to enter.

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