PORTSMOUTH MUNICIPAL COURT

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PORTSMOUTH, OHIO

PGS RENTALS, INC.

Plaintiff

Case No. CVG91-0528

-vs-

BEVERLY HILEMAN, et al.

JUDGMENT ENTRY

Defendants

This cause came on for hearing before the Referee,
Mr. David W. Kuhn, on the 31st day of May, 1991. And
further, upon the motion to dismiss filed by counsel
for defendants herein. The Court having reviewed all
pleadings and the partial finding of facts requested
from the Referee finds that plaintiff herein is, in
fact, a corporation, that the petition seeking eviction
was filed by Phillip G. Stevens, it's president. Defendants
move for dismissal of the complaint based on the prohibitation
contained in Ohio Revised Code 4705.01 and further,
based upon the holding in Union Savings Association
v. Homeowners Aid, Inc. 23 Ohio St. 2d, 60 (1976).

The Ohio Supreme Court in the case of <u>Union Savings</u>

<u>Association v. Homeowners Aid, Inc.</u> held that a corporation cannot appear in court except by and through an attorney at law.

Since plaintiff herein is a corporation and was represented by it's president, who is not an attorney

licensed to practice law in Ohio, it is hereby ORDERED that the complaint be dismissed without prejudice.

Costs to plaintiff.

Judge David E. Spears

cc: PGS Rentals, Inc.

Robert Romaker Attorney for Defendant