

**Scott Gessler, individually and in his official capacity as Colorado Secretary of State,
Petitioner**

v.

**Dan Grossman, Sally H. Hopper, Bill Pinkham, Matt Smith, and Rosemary Marshall, in
their official capacities as members of the Independent Ethics Commission; and the
Independent Ethics Commission. Respondents**

No. 15SC462

Supreme Court of Colorado, En Banc

June 20, 2016

Court of Appeals Case No. 14CA670

Petition for Writ of Certiorari GRANTED.

Summary of Issues:

Whether the Independent Ethics Commission has jurisdiction under the phrase "any other standards of conduct" in Colo. Const. art. XXIX, section 5(1) to penalize any public employee for violating any Colorado law.

Whether the phrase "other standards of conduct" in Colo. Const. art. XXIX, section (5)(1) is unconstitutionally vague.

Whether procedural due process requires pre-hearing notice to explain how laws are violated, or may notice simply list laws and reserve the right to add charges after the hearing.

JUSTICE GABRIEL does not participate.