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Diamond v. Bradley

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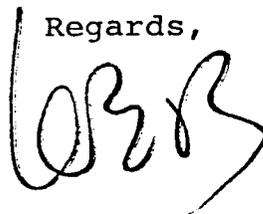
October 22, 1980

Dear Bill:

No. 79-855 - Diamond v. Bradley which is 4/4 should be held to come down with No. 79-1112 - Diamond v. Diehr and Lutton.

I leave the matter in your hands.

Regards,



Mr. Justice Rehnquist

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I agree with
your [unclear]
[unclear]

To: Mr. Justice Brennan
Mr. Justice Stewart
Mr. Justice White
Mr. Justice Marshall
Mr. Justice Blackmun
Mr. Justice Powell
Mr. Justice Rehnquist
Mr. Justice Stevens

From: The Chief Justice

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SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 79-855

Sidney A. Diamond, Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks,
Petitioner,
v.
John J. Bradley and Benjamin S.
Franklin.

On Writ of Certiorari to
the United States Court
of Customs and Patent
Appeals.

[March —, 1981]

PER CURIAM.

The judgment is affirmed by an equally divided Court.

CHIEF JUSTICE BURGER took no part in the consideration or
decision of this case.

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Supreme Court of the United States
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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE POTTER STEWART

March 5, 1981

Re: No. 79-855, Diamond v. Bradley & Franklin

Dear Chief,

I agree with the proposed disposition
of this case.

Sincerely yours,

P.S.
/

The Chief Justice

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE BYRON R. WHITE

March 4, 1981

Re: 79-855 - Diamond v. Bradley
and Franklin

Dear Chief,

I agree with the per curiam
disposition of this case.

Sincerely yours,



The Chief Justice

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE THURGOOD MARSHALL

March 5, 1981

Re: No. 79-855 - Diamond v. Bradley & Franklin

Dear Chief:

I agree with your Per Curiam.

Sincerely,

T.M.

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The Chief Justice

cc: The Conference

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE HARRY A. BLACKMUN

March 5, 1981

Re: No. 79-855 - Diamond v. Bradley

Dear Chief:

The proposed disposition, I suppose, is inevitable. I therefore go along with the proposed per curiam.

One matter of protocol: Should not the reference to your nonparticipation refer to "The Chief Justice" rather than to you by name? After all, there is only one.

Sincerely,



The Chief Justice
cc: The Conference



Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE WILLIAM H. REHNQUIST

October 22, 1980

Dear Chief:

I concur in your suggestion that Diamond v. Bradley be held to come down with No. 79-1112, Diamond v. Diehr, which has been assigned to me for the writing of a Court opinion.

Sincerely,



The Chief Justice

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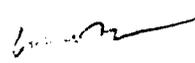
March 5, 1981

Re: No. 79-855 Diamond v. Bradley & Franklin

Dear Chief:

Please join me in your per curiam.

Sincerely,



The Chief Justice

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CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE JOHN PAUL STEVENS

March 5, 1981

Re: 79-855 - Diamond v. Bradley & Franklin

Dear Chief:

Please join me.

Respectfully,



The Chief Justice

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