

**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS  
FIRST APPELLATE DISTRICT OF OHIO  
HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO**

STATE OF OHIO,	:	APPEAL NO. C-210371
Plaintiff-Appellee,	:	TRIAL NO. B-2003140-A
vs.	:	<i>JUDGMENT ENTRY.</i>
JASON HAYNES,	:	
Defendant-Appellant.	:	

The court sua sponte removes this case from the regular calendar and places it on the court’s accelerated calendar, 1<sup>st</sup> Dist. Loc.R. 11.1.1(A), and this judgment entry is not an opinion of the court. See Rep.Op.R. 3.1; App.R. 11.1(E); 1st Dist. Loc.R. 11.1.1.

Jason Haynes pled guilty to burglary, a second-degree felony, and was sentenced to an indefinite prison term of three years to four years and six months. In one assignment of error, Haynes challenges the constitutionality of the Reagan Tokes Law under the separation-of-powers doctrine and the procedural-due-process clause.

In the first issue presented for review in his assignment of error, Haynes argues that the Reagan Tokes Law violates the separation-of-powers doctrine by allowing an executive agency to sentence offenders for criminal acts. Haynes also contends the Regan Tokes Law fails to provide the necessary procedural-due-process protections prior to depriving offenders of their liberty interest to be free from incarceration beyond their judicially-imposed sentence.

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This court recently held that the Reagan Tokes Law does not violate the separation-of-powers doctrine or procedural due process. *See State v. Guyton*, 1st Dist. Hamilton No. C-190657, 2022-Ohio-2962. Guided by that precedent, which we incorporate by reference, we overrule Haynes’s assignment of error and affirm the judgment of the trial court.

A certified copy of this judgment entry shall constitute the mandate, which shall be sent to the trial court under App.R. 27. Costs shall be taxed under App.R. 24.

**ZAYAS, P.J., BERGERON and CROUSE, JJ.**

To the clerk:

Enter upon the journal of the court on October 28, 2022

per order of the court \_\_\_\_\_.

Administrative Judge