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(Scott and Coustalin 1995)

ONE AUTHOR

T(ext): Following Ely (1980, page), we argue that

R(eference list): Ely, John Hart. 1980. *Democracy and Distrust: A Theory of Judicial Review*. Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press.

TWO AUTHORS

T: As demonstrated elsewhere (Daniels, Martin 1995, page),

R: Daniels, Stephen, Joanne Martin. 1995. *Civil Injuries and the Politics of Reform*. Evanston, Ill.: Northwestern University Press.

THREE AUTHORS

T: As suggested by Cecil, Lind, Bermant (1987, page),

R: Cecil, Joe S., E. Allan Lind, Gordon Bermant. 1987. *Jury Service in Lengthy Civil Trials*. Washington, D.C.: Federal Judicial Center.

MORE THAN THREE AUTHORS

T: Following the research design in Turner *et al.* (2002, page),

R: Turner, Charles F., Susan M. Rogers, Heather G. Miller, William C. Miller, James N. Gribble, James R. Chromy, Peter A. Leone, Phillip C. Cooley, Thomas C. Quinn, Jonathan M. Zenilman. 2002. Untreated Gonococcal and Chlamydial Infection in a Probability Sample of Adults. *Journal of the American Medical Association* 287: 726–733.

INSTITUTIONAL AUTHOR

T: (U.S. Department of Justice 1992, page)

R: U.S. Department of Justice. Office of Justice Programs. Bureau of Justice Statistics. 1992. *Civil Justice Survey of State Courts*. Washington, D.C.: U.S. Government Printing Office.

NO AUTHOR

T: (*Journal of the Assembly* 1822, page).

R: *Journal of the Assembly of the State of New York at Their Forty-Fifth Session, Begun and Held at the Capitol, in the City of Albany, the First Day of January, 1822*. 1822. Albany: Cantine & Leake.

MORE THAN ONE WORK

Clermont, Eisenberg (1992, page; 1998, page)

MORE THAN ONE WORK IN A YEAR

T: (White 1991a, page)

R: White, James A. 1991a. Shareholder-Rights Movement Sways a Number of Big Companies. *Wall Street Journal*, April 4.

MULTIPLE AUTHORS AND WORKS

Grogger 1991, page; Witte 1980, page; Levitt 1997, page)

CHAPTER IN A BOOK

T: Holmes (1988 page) argues that

R: Holmes, Stephen. 1988. Precommitment and the Paradox of Democracy. 195–240 in *Constitutionalism and Democracy*, edited by John Elster and Rune Slagstad. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

CHAPTER IN A MULTIVOLUME WORK

T: Schwartz, Sykes (1998) differ from this view

R: Schwartz, Warren F., Alan O. Sykes. 1998. Most-Favoured-Nation Obligations in International Trade. 660–64 in vol. 2 of *The New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics and the Law*, edited by Peter Newman. London: MacMillan.

EDITION

T: Using the method of Greene (1997), we constructed a model to show

R: Greene, William H. 1997. *Econometric Analysis*. 3d ed. Upper Saddle River, N.J.: Prentice Hall.

REPRINT

T: (Angell, Ames [1832] 1972, 24)

R: Angell, Joseph Kinniaut, Samuel Ames. [1832] 1972. *A Treatise on the Law of Private Corporations Aggregate*. Reprint, New York: Arno Press.

JOURNAL ARTICLE

In the list of references, journal articles should be cited in the following manner: surname and name of the author, number and year of the issue, title of the article, title of the journal, volume number, pages.

T: The model used in Levine *et al.* (1999, page)

R: Levine, Phillip B., Douglas Staiger, Thomas J. Kane, David J. Zimmerman. 2/1999. *Roe v. Wade* and American Fertility. *American Journal of Public Health* 89: 199–203.

T: According to Podlipnik (2018, page)

R: Podlipnik, Jernej. 4/2018. The Legal Nature of the Slovenian Special Tax on Undeclared Income. *Annals of the Faculty of Law in Belgrade* 66: 103–113.

ENTIRE ISSUE OF A JOURNAL

T: The fairness or efficiency benefits of bad-faith laws are discussed at length in *Texas Law Review* (1994)

R: *Texas Law Review*. 1994. *Symposium: Law of Bad Faith in Contrast and Insurance*, special issue. 72: 1203–1702.

COMMENTARY

T: Smith (1983, page) argues that

R: Smith, John. 1983. Article 175. Unjust Enrichment. 195–240 in *Commentary to the Law on Obligations*, edited by Jane Foster. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

T: Schmalenbach (2018, page) argues that

R: Schmalenbach, Kirsten. 2018. Article 2. Use of Terms. 29–55 in *Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties: A Commentary*, edited by Oliver Dörr, Kirsten Schmalenbach. Berlin: Springer-Verlag GmbH Germany.

MAGAZINE OR NEWSPAPER ARTICLE WITH NO AUTHOR

T: had appeared in *Newsweek* (2000).

R: *Newsweek*. 2000. MP3.com Gets Ripped. 18 September.

MAGAZINE OR NEWSPAPER ARTICLE WITH AUTHOR(S)

T: (Mathews, DeBaise 2000)

R: Mathews, Anna Wilde, Colleen DeBaise. 2000. MP3.com Deal Ends Lawsuit on Copyrights. *Wall Street Journal*, 11 November.

UNPUBLISHED MANUSCRIPT

T: (Daughety, Reinganum 2002)

R: Daughety, Andrew F., and Jennifer F. Reinganum. 2002. Exploiting Future Settlements: A Signaling Model of Most-Favored-Nation Clauses in Settlement Bargaining. Unpublished manuscript. Vanderbilt University, Department of Economics, August.

WORKING PAPER

T: (Eisenberg, Wells 2002)

R: Eisenberg, Theodore, Martin T. Wells. 2002. Trial Outcomes and Demographics: Is There a Bronx Effect? Working paper. Cornell University Law School, Ithaca, NY.

NUMBERED WORKING PAPER

T: (Glaeser, Sacerdote 2000)

R: Glaeser, Edward L., Bruce Sacerdote. 2000. The Determinants of Punishment: Deterrence, Incapacitation and Vengeance. Working Paper No. 7676. National Bureau of Economic Research, Cambridge, Mass.

PERSONAL CORRESPONDENCE/COMMUNICATION

T: as asserted by Welch (1998)

R: Welch, Thomas. 1998. Letter to author, 15 January.

STABLE URL

T: According to the Intellectual Property Office (2018),

R: R.S. Intellectual Property Office. 2018. Annual Report for 2017.

<http://www.zis.gov.rs/about-us/annual-report.106.html> (last visited 28 February, 2019).

IN PRESS

T: (Spier 2003, page)

R: Spier, Kathryn E. 2003. The Use of Most-Favored-Nations Clauses in Settlement of Litigation. *RAND Journal of Economics*, vol. 34, in press.

FORTHCOMING

T: One study (Joyce, forthcoming) includes the District of Columbia

R: Joyce, Ted. Forthcoming. Did Legalized Abortion Lower Crime? *Journal of Human Resources*.

CASES

F(ootnote): CJEU, case C-20/12, Giersch and Others, ECLI:EU:C:2013:411, para. 16; Opinion of AG Mengozzi to CJEU, case C-20/12, Giersch and Others, ECLI:EU:C:2013:411, para. 16; Supreme Court of Serbia, Rev. 1354/06, 6. September 2006., Paragraf Lex; Supreme Court of Serbia, Rev. 2331/96, 3. July 1996., *Bulletin of the Supreme Court of Serbia* 4/96, 27.

T: Use abbreviated reference for in-text citations of cases (CJEU C-20/12, or Giersch and Others; Opinion of AG Mengozzi; VSS Rev. 1354/06) consistently throughout the paper.

R: Do not include cases in the reference list.

LEGISLATION

F: Regulation (EU) No. 1052/2013 establishing the European Border Surveillance System (Eurosur), OJ L 295 of 6/11/2013, Art. 2 (3); Directive 2013/32/EU on common procedures for granting and withdrawing international protection (recast), OJ L 180 of 29/6/2013, Art. 6 (3); Zakonik o krivičnom postupku [Code of Criminal Procedure], *Official Gazette of the RS*, 72/2011, 101/2011, 121/2012, 32/2013, 45/2013, and 55/2014, Art. 2, para. 1, it. 3.

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