

OPINION SUMMARY
MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

ADELA OTTE and DONNIE SCOTT,) ED97404
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Plaintiffs/Appellants,) Appeal from the Circuit Court
) of Franklin County
v.)
)
DEAN A. EDWARDS, SR., DINNELL) Honorable Isidore I. Lamke
EDWARDS, and DEAN EDWARDS, JR.,)
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Defendants/Respondents.) Filed: May 22, 2012

Adela Otte and Donnie Scott (Appellants) appeal from the trial court's judgment granting Dean A. Edwards, Sr., Dinnell Edwards and Dean Edwards, Jr.'s (collectively Respondents) Motion to Dismiss Count I of Appellants' Petition for Wrongful Death.

AFFIRMED.

Division Three Holds: A civil cause of action does not exist under common law and was not created when Section 311.310 RSMo 2006, a criminal statute, was modified by adding a subsection 2 in 2005 to add owners and occupiers of land where underage drinking takes place to the list of misdemeanor offenders set out in subsection 1 that sell, procure, or otherwise give alcohol to minors.

Opinion by: Sherri B. Sullivan, J. Robert G. Dowd, Jr., P.J., and Mary K. Hoff, J., concur.

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