

**12-815 SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS CO. V. JACOBS**

DECISION BELOW: 690 F.3d 864

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 11-2984

QUESTION PRESENTED:

Whether the Eighth Circuit erred by concluding, in conflict with decisions of nine other circuits and this Court, that *Younger* abstention is warranted not only when there is a related state proceeding that is "coercive" but also when there is a related state proceeding that is, instead, "remedial."

CERT. GRANTED 4/15/2013