## Handout 4: U.S. Supreme Court Case Study Analysis

## How do U.S. Supreme Court decisions affect the lives of people in the United States?

**Directions:** After reading and discussing the Supreme Court case study, as a group, answer the questions that follow. Each student should fill out their own handout.

1. Describe the issue that was being questioned in the case.

2. Explain how the Supreme Court used the power of judicial review in the case. Cite evidence from the source to support your explanation.

3. Explain how the Supreme Court based its decision in the case on a constitutional amendment. Be sure to describe the constitutional amendment and the case in your response.

4. Explain how the Supreme Court case and the timeline from Handout 1 show how people's rights changed when the U.S. Constitution changed or the interpretation of the U.S. Constitution changed.