**Legal Research Assignment #4**

Answer one of the following two questions:

With the death of Justice Scalia this year, the Court has declined to eight members, meaning that there have been the possibilities of 4-4 ties, which have happened. Pick two cases that have ended in a 4-4 tie and explain very briefly what the issue in those cases are and what the effect of the decision being a tie was for the case. Not including a works cited page, this assignment should be about one page single spaced.

The Supreme Court tends not to overrule that many cases that it had previously decided, but it does so on occasion. Of cases that are still good law and have been decided since 1950, and were main cases in the textbook (so not minor cases or ones not mentioned, or ones that don’t apply to this course), pick two that you, if you were the swing member of the Supreme Court would choose to overrule and why. Be sure to back up your argument. Not including a works cited page, this assignment should be about one page single spaced.

This assignment is due Friday July 1, by midnight.