

### Florida Appeals Court Decisions: Week of September 27 - October 1, 2021

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### U.S. Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals

Catalyst Pharma v. Becerra - Orphan Drug Act, statutory interpretation

Gelber v. AKAL Sec - FLSA, meal periods

USA v. Perry - expert testimony, sentencing

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Leake v. Drinkard - First Amendment, speech, parade

USA v. Tinker - prisoner, Covid-19, compassionate release

Colon v. Twitter - Pulse nightclub, Anti-Terrorism Act claims

Smith v. USA - FTCA, USPS liability, mailbox

### Florida Supreme Court - Tallahassee

West Palm v. Haver - injunction, zoning ordinance

### First District Court of Appeal - Tallahassee

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Garcia v. State - Richardson hearing, response to jury question

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Lauwereins v. State - evidence, cross-examination

Washington v. State - sexual battery instruction

ABM v. Valencia - workers' compensation

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Hanks v. State - sentencing

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Tuten v. State - postconviction relief

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Knight v. State - pro se sanctions

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State Farm v. Gonzalez - insurance, fungus

Honahan v. Burgeson - settlement agreement, enforcement

Lonsdale v. Elbanna - timesharing

Fesh v. State - Williams rule evidence

Friedel v. Edwards - pleading, relation back

Brinkmann v. Petro Welt Trading - certiorari, privilege

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Foster v. Radulovich - certiorari, attorney substitution

Hall v. State - direct criminal contempt

Sims v. Wells - habeas corpus

#### Third District Court of Appeal - Miami

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Garcia v. Citizens - summary judgment

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BREA v. Hagshama - arbitration

Carus v. VRMTG - foreclosure

Union Restoration v. Citizens - summary judgment, assignment

Associated Energy Grp v. Costa - summary judgment, two dismissal rule

*Irizarry v. State* - postconviction relief

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# Fourth District Court of Appeal - West Palm Beach

School Brd Palm Beach Cty v. Edwards - negligence, duty State Farm v. Nob Hill - Daubert, expert exclusion, sanction RS v. DCF - parental rights, termination

## Fifth District Court of Appeal - Daytona Beach

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Delgado v. Ortiz - domestic violence injunction

Little Brownie v. Wood - garnishment, dissolving writ, notice

McCullough v. State - postconviction relief

Maltese v. State - postconviction relief

Williams v. State - Spencer bar, pro se

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