

Florida Appeals Court Decisions: Week of May 18 - 22, 2020

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U.S. Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals

Statton v. Fla Fed JNC - FOIA, judicial nominating commission

Compulife v. Rutstein - copyright, trade secrets, false advertising, computer hacking

Florida Supreme Court - Tallahassee

Phillips v. State - capital case, postconviction relief

In re R Reg Fla Bar - amended rule 21-4.1, military spouses

State v. Johnson - jury selection, preservation of error

First District Court of Appeal - Tallahassee

Wesson v. Fla Peninsula Ins - fees multiplier, contingency cases

JAX Refrig v. Chin - temporary injunction

Joseph v. State - jury selection

Roshell v. State - competency

Davis v. State - competency

Washington v. State - Stand Your Ground

In re Grd Jury - grand jury report

Morgan v. Am Airlines - workers' compensation

Vinson v. Vinson - contempt, equitable distribution

Walker v. State - communications device, unlawful use

Kerridge v. State - scrivener's error

Lowery v. State - scrivener's error

Second District Court of Appeal - Lakeland

Sullivan v. State - Stand Your Ground

USF Trustees v. Carter - empty chair, causation; *Stuart v. Hertz* instruction

Reynolds Ventures v. Gilbert - appellate jurisdiction

Pinello v. State - probation revocation

State v. Kendrick - appellate counsel sanctions

Houston v. Tampa Firefight Pension - retirement benefits

Gokay v. State - probation, STD test

CG v. MM - paternity, timesharing

Third District Court of Appeal - Miami

Demircan v. Mikhaylov - probate, trust, fees

State v. Quero - sentencing

State v. Garcia - certiorari, sentencing

Robinson v. State - sentencing

Deshazor v. Safepoint - insurance, seepage exclusion

Mordica v. State - burglary; cross-exam, prior inconsistent statements

Hernandez v. Citizens - insurance, earth movement exclusion

McWilliams v. State - due process, identification procedures

Miami Bch v. Fla Gas - appellate jurisdiction

Old Cutler Lakes v. SRP SUB - property, foreclosure, past due assessments

Gilbert v. Gilbert - marital settlement agreement

Morales Law Grp v. Rodman - service of process

Hechevarria-Figueroa v. State - habeas corpus

Fourth District Court of Appeal - West Palm Beach

Coto v. State - double jeopardy

Kokhan v. Auto Club Ins - insurance, exclusion

Atallah v. Transworld Bus Brokers - sale, commission

Thomas v. State - assault, element

Griffin v. Palm Beach BCC - summary judgment, affirmative defense

US Bank v. Buchanan - foreclosure, lost note

Rehab Ctr at Hollywood Hills v. FPL - duty, energy supply

Lockett v. State - jury request, view defendant

Jallali v. Christiana - wrongful foreclosure

Henderson Behavioral Health v. Cortes - medical malpractice, presuit

Fifth District Court of Appeal - Daytona Beach

Arnold v. State - Anders appeal, written order

Hillman v. State - Anders appeal, oral pronouncement

Miller v. Miller - dissolution, attorney's fees

Specialty Solutions v. Baxter Gypsum - default, unliquidated damages, void

Turpenning v. State - Anders appeal, costs

Willoughby v. State - murder, theft, harmless error

Taylor v. State - cost, § 318.18(11)(b)

Milton v. State - Anders appeal, cost of investigation

GEICO v. Accident Injury Clinic - certiorari, discovery, *Irizarry*

Jones v. Jones - dissolution, alimony, injunction

Banash v. State - postconviction relief

Smith v. State - habeas corpus

Jackson v. State - *Spencer* warning, pro se

Sapeg v. State - sentence

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