

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA
FIFTH DISTRICT

JULY TERM 2009

FLORIDA A & M UNIVERSITY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES,

Petitioner,

v.

Case No. 5D09-1127

MARJORIE THOMAS,

Respondent.

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Opinion filed October 16, 2009

Petition for Certiorari Review of Order
from the Circuit Court for Orange County,
Maura T. Smith, Judge.

Bill McColum, Attorney General,
Tallahassee, and Sabrina E. Redd,
Assistant Attorney General, Tampa,
for Petitioner.

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Hockman & Hockman, Winter Park, for
Respondent.

PER CURIAM.

Petitioner seeks a writ of certiorari, contending that the trial court's denial of its motion for summary judgment constituted a departure from the essential requirements of law. It is petitioner's position that respondent's claim is barred by application of the sovereign immunity doctrine. We conclude that we lack jurisdiction to review this

interlocutory order. See *Dep't of Education v. Roe*, 679 So. 2d 756 (Fla. 1996); *School Bd. of Miami-Dade County v. Leyva*, 975 So. 2d 576 (Fla. 3d DCA 2008).

Petition for Writ of Certiorari DENIED.

MONACO, C.J., EVANDER and JACOBUS, JJ., concur.