Supreme Court of Florida

No. SC07-1600

STATE OF FLORIDA, Petitioner,

vs.

ZACHERY ANTONIO DENEGALL, Respondent.

[July 10, 2008]

PER CURIAM.

We have for review <u>Denegall v. State</u>, 975 So. 2d 505 (Fla. 2d DCA 2007), in which the Second District Court of Appeal cited as authority its decision in <u>Griffin v. State</u>, 946 So. 2d 610 (Fla. 2d DCA 2007), <u>quashed</u>, 980 So. 2d 1035 (Fla. 2008), and, as it had done in <u>Griffin</u>, certified conflict with the First District Court of Appeal's decision in <u>Ridgeway v. State</u>, 892 So. 2d 538 (Fla. 1st DCA 2005), <u>approved by Griffin v. State</u>, 980 So. 2d 1035 (Fla. 2008). We have jurisdiction. See art. V, § 3(b)(4), Fla. Const. We stayed proceedings in this case pending disposition of <u>Griffin</u>. We have since decided <u>Griffin</u>, in which we quashed in part the Second District Court's underlying <u>Griffin</u> decision and approved the First District Court's <u>Ridgeway</u> decision. <u>See Griffin v. State</u>, 980 So. 2d 1035 (Fla. 2008). We thus issued an order directing respondent in the present case to show cause why we should not exercise jurisdiction, quash the Second District Court's <u>Denegall</u> decision, and remand for reconsideration in light of our decision in <u>Griffin</u>. Respondent did not respond to that order, thereby constructively conceding that we should so proceed.

We accordingly grant the petition for review in the present case. The decision under review is quashed and this matter is remanded to the Second District Court for reconsideration upon application of this Court's decision in <u>Griffin</u>.

It is so ordered.

QUINCE, C.J., and WELLS, ANSTEAD, PARIENTE, LEWIS, CANTERO, and BELL, JJ., concur.

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE REHEARING MOTION, AND IF FILED, DETERMINED.

Application for Review of the Decision of the District Court of Appeal - Certified Direct Conflict of Decisions

Second District - Case No. 2D05-1728

(Polk County)

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No appearance

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