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VERDICTS AND DISPOSITIONS

Rainone v. Organ

Blaustein, Howard v. Michael Patton and Sarasota Site Services LLC

James Coachman, Jr., v. Nancy Gartlan

Dale Hunt v. P.J. Rodriguez d/b/a Chick-Fil-A Naples Center

Barone, Christine v. Jack R. Schimelfining

Francine Lopez v. Auto-Owners Insurance Company

Julius, Nolene v. Antonio Dunlap and D&M Delivery Services, LLC

Anthony Osude v. Patricia Cadogan and Paul Schmidt

Araceli Gross v. Government Employees Insurance Company

Laird v. Jason Dittman d/b/a CFA at Waters, Inc. and Chick-fil-A, Inc.

Salahutdin v. Smith

Benjamin Press v. NPC International, Inc.

Kandy Magnotti v. Lakewood Ranch Trampoline Sports Center LLC

Strickland v. May (defense verdict)

AREAS OF PRACTICE

Automobile Liability (PIP/PD/BI/UM)

Civil Litigation

Construction and Construction Defect Litigation

Cyber Security & Data Privacy

First and Third Party Property and Casualty Claims

Guardianships and Estates

Hurricane Claims

Intentional Torts

Medical Malpractice

Kenneth E. Amos, Jr. is the managing attorney for the firm's St. Petersburg office. He was born in Canton, Ohio and was raised in a small town south of the Pro Football Hall of Fame city. While spending the first twenty-five years of his life in Southeast Ohio, Mr. Amos enjoyed fishing, 4-wheeling, and country living after working long days as an industrial painter. Mr. Amos married his wife of 25 years in 1995, and shortly thereafter the two relocated to Florida where Mr. Amos earned his law degree from Stetson University College of Law in 2003.

While Mr. Amos was in law school, he clerked with a local plaintiff's attorney for two years and spent his first year of practice in the plaintiff's bar. This experience has prompted Mr. Amos to develop a mentoring program in the St. Petersburg office for law students who are inspiring litigators.

Mr. Amos was first hired as a managing attorney for an insurance defense firm in 2006 where he managed the firm's St. Petersburg operations. Within months, Mr. Amos was invited to be a managing attorney with a second insurance defense firm where he became a partner in 2008.

Mr. Amos joined Vernis & Bowling in 2011. Mr. Amos has years of trial experience and courtroom experience. In addition to the areas of practice outlined herein, Mr. Amos handles a variety of Medicare and other healthcare lien issues. He also specializes in friendly suits throughout the State of Florida.

Mr. Amos was selected by Super Lawyers Magazine as a 2013 and 2014 Florida Rising Star in the practice area of Insurance Coverage for his work defending sinkhole claims throughout Florida. He is the current President of the Belle Vista Community Association. He enjoys traveling with his family to Ohio where he is a season ticket holder for the Cleveland Browns. In his spare time, he enjoys relaxing on the beach and exercising.

Negligent Security
Premises Liability
Product Liability
Sinkhole Litigation
Trucking
Wrongful Death

BAR & COURT ADMISSION

Florida Bar 2004
United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida.

EDUCATION

Graduate:

Juris Doctor, Stetson University College of Law, 2003

Undergraduate:

BA in Political Science, University of Central Florida, 2000