

# Third District Court of Appeal

State of Florida, July Term, A.D. 2009

Opinion filed July 22, 2009.

Not final until disposition of timely filed motion for rehearing.

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No. 3D08-1413

Lower Tribunal No. 07-9473

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**Alfredo Echevarria,**  
Appellant,

vs.

**The State of Florida,**  
Appellee.

An Appeal from the Circuit Court for Miami-Dade County, Dennis J. Murphy, Judge.

Carlos J. Martinez, Public Defender, and Robert Kalter, Assistant Public Defender, for appellant.

Bill McCollum, Attorney General, and Natalia Costea, Assistant Attorney General, for appellee.

Before SHEPHERD and SALTER, JJ., and SCHWARTZ, Senior Judge.

PER CURIAM.

Affirmed. See Knight v. State, 919 So. 2d 628, 632 (Fla. 3d DCA 2006) (“A trial court’s determination that a peremptory strike is genuine, rather than pretextual, ‘will be affirmed on appeal unless clearly erroneous.’” (quoting Melborune v. State, 679 So. 2d 759, 764-65 (Fla. 1996))).