

DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST DISTRICT  
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January 18, 2018

CASE NO.: 1D17-1895  
L.T. No.: 2015-CA-001554

Edward A. Crapo

v.

Academy for Five Element  
Acupuncture, Inc., etc.

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Appellant / Petitioner(s),

Appellee / Respondent(s)

**BY ORDER OF THE COURT:**

In accordance with rule 9.370 of the Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure, the court requests an amicus curiae brief by the Department of Education, Commission for Independent Education, addressing the following question: Whether an educational entity licensed by the Florida Department of Education, Commission for Independent Education, is an “educational institution” within the meaning of section 196.012(5), Florida Statutes? The Department’s brief (of no more than 15 pages) shall be filed by January 31, 2018, and the parties may file a response (of no more than 10 pages) by February 7, 2018. Oral argument has been scheduled in this case for February 12, 2018.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing is (a true copy of) the original court order.

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