

OPINION SUMMARY

MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

LEODEGARIA SANCHEZ PONTIGON,) No. ED95677
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Respondent,)
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v.) Appeal from the Circuit Court of
) St. Charles County
) Cause No. 1011-CV04174
UDIS SANCHEZ LORD,) Honorable Nancy L. Schneider
)
Appellant.) Filed: April 19, 2011

Udis Sanchez Lord appeals the judgment of the Circuit Court of St. Charles County, the Honorable Nancy L. Schneider, presiding. Lord appeals the circuit court’s registration of a Canadian defamation judgment against her, arguing the foreign judgment was repugnant to public policy in that it violated her First Amendment rights.

REVERSED AND REMANDED.

DIVISION ONE HOLDS: The Circuit Court did not properly consider or apply the First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution, Title 28 § 4101 through Title 28 § 4105 of the U.S. Code, or § 511.760 and § 511.770 – 511.785 RSMo, in this case. This failure compels the cause to be reversed, the underlying registration set aside and the garnishment quashed.

Opinion by: Kenneth M. Romines, J.
Roy L. Richter, C.J., and Kelly Broniec, Sp.J., concur.

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