

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, SEVENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR
FLAGLER COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA,

v.

EDWARD GERARD SAMPSON,

Defendant.

CASE NO.: 2025 00761 CFFA
JUDGE DAWN D. NICHOLS

MOTION IN LIMINE

COMES NOW the Defendant, Edward Gerard Sampson, by and through his undersigned Assistant Public Defender and moves this Honorable Court to prohibit any state witness(es) from mentioning the following testimony:

1. Officers shall not testify as to their opinion on the contents of video surveillance footage. Whether or not the video contains a physical altercation is a question for the jury. Additionally, the Officers are in no better position than the jury to determine the contents of the video. (See Seymore v. State, 187 So.3d 356,358 (Fla. 3rd DCA 2016)).

WHEREFORE, Defendant prays this Honorable Court grant this Motion.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished by delivery to: Flagler State Attorney Office, Assistant State Attorney, 1769 East Moody Blvd., Bldg. #1, Bunnell, FL 32110, on November 3, 2025.

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