# FORM 1.997. CIVIL COVER SHEET

The civil cover sheet and the information contained in it neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other documents as required by law. This form must be filed by the plaintiff or petitioner with the Clerk of Court for the purpose of reporting uniform data pursuant to section 25.075, Florida Statutes. (See instructions for completion.)

# CASE STYLE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR {county | upper}, FLORIDA

Plaintiffs,

{plaintiffs | upper } Case #: {case\_number}

vs. Judge:

Defendant,

{defendant | upper }

# AMOUNT OF CLAIM

**Please indicate the estimated amount of the claim, rounded to the nearest dollar. The estimated amount of the claim is requested for data collection and clerical processing purposes only. The amount of the claim shall not be used for any other purpose.**

**{x\_8000\_or\_less}  $8,000 or less**

**{x\_8001\_30000}\_\_ $8,001 - $30,000**

**{x\_30001\_50000} $30,001 - $50,000**

**{x\_50001\_75000} $50,001 - $75,000**

**{x\_75001\_100000} $75,001 - $100,000**

**{x\_over\_100000} Over $100,000**

1. **TYPE OF CASE** (If the case fits more than one type of case, select the most definitive category.) If the most descriptive label is a subcategory (is indented under a broader category), place an x on both the main category and subcategory lines.

**CIRCUIT CIVIL**

Condominium

Contracts and indebtedness

Eminent domain

Auto negligence

Negligence—other

\_\_\_\_\_\_Business governance

Business torts

Environmental/Toxic tort

Third party indemnification

Construction defect

Mass tort

Negligent security

Nursing home negligence

Premises liability—commercial

Premises liability—residential

Products liability

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Real property/Mortgage foreclosure

Commercial foreclosure

Homestead residential foreclosure

Non-homestead residential foreclosure

Other real property actions

Professional malpractice

Malpractice—business

Malpractice—medical

Malpractice—other professional

Other

Antitrust/Trade regulation

Business transactions

Constitutional challenge—statute or ordinance

Constitutional challenge—proposed amendment

Corporate trusts

Discrimination—employment or other

**X** Insurance claims

Intellectual property

Libel/Slander

Shareholder derivative action

Securities litigation

Trade secrets

Trust litigation

**COUNTY CIVIL**

{x\_cc\_civil} Civil

{x\_cc\_replevins} Replevins

{x\_cc\_evictions} Evictions

{x\_cc\_other} Other civil (non-monetary)

1. **REMEDIES SOUGHT** (check all that apply):

Monetary;

Nonmonetary declaratory or injunctive relief;

Punitive

# NUMBER OF CAUSES OF ACTION: [ {number\_of\_actions}]

(Specify) \_

# IS THIS CASE A CLASS ACTION LAWSUIT?

**{x\_class\_yes}** yes

**{x\_class\_no}** no

# HAS NOTICE OF ANY KNOWN RELATED CASE BEEN FILED?

**{x\_related\_no}** no

**{x\_related\_yes}** yes If “yes,” list all related cases by name, case number, and court.

# IS JURY TRIAL DEMANDED IN COMPLAINT?

{**x\_jury\_yes}** yes

**{x\_jury\_no}** no

I CERTIFY that the information I have provided in this cover sheet is accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I have read and will comply with the requirements of Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.425.

Signature /s/ Pierre A. Louis Fla. Bar # 106481 Attorney or party (Bar # if attorney)

Pierre A. Louis, Esq. {date}

(type or print name) Date

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