

FIRST DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL
STATE OF FLORIDA

No. 1D21-3417

MICHELLE WILSON,

Appellant,

v.

FLORIDA COMMISSION ON
HUMAN RELATIONS,

Appellee.

On appeal from Florida Commission on Human Relations.
Cheyanne M. Costilla, Executive Director.

October 26, 2022

PER CURIAM.

AFFIRMED. *See Stanton v. Fla. Dep't of Health*, 129 So. 3d 1083 (Fla. 1st DCA 2013) (reaffirming that when a whistle-blower complaint does not meet the prima facie elements necessary to initiate operation of the Whistle-blower's Act, the Florida Commission on Human Relations has no authority to proceed with a fact-finding investigation); *Washington v. Fla. Dep't of Revenue*, 337 So. 3d 502 (Fla. 1st DCA 2022) (holding that a protected disclosure must be a written and signed complaint in order to trigger the protections of the Whistle-blower's Act when a complainant has not claimed to have participated in an investigation or to have made a complaint through a hot-line).

OSTERHAUS, BILBREY, and NORDBY, JJ., concur.

Not final until disposition of any timely and authorized motion under Fla. R. App. P. 9.330 or 9.331.

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