DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA FOURTH DISTRICT January Term 2009

CHRISTOPHER FREEMAN,

Appellant,

v.

JOANNE VELEZ,

Appellee.

No. 4D08-2585

[May 27, 2009]

PER CURIAM.

We affirm on all issues except the issue of attorney's fees. Because the final judgment merely reserved jurisdiction to determine entitlement to and the amount of attorney's fees, appeal of this issue was premature. Although appellant explains that the trial court made that determination after the filing of the notice of appeal, "[t]his court cannot review judicial acts of a trial court taking place after the filing of a notice of appeal unless those judicial acts are themselves made the subject of a new notice of appeal or other appropriate appellate proceedings." *Velickovich v. Ricci*, 391 So. 2d 258, 260 (Fla. 4th DCA 1980); see also Fla. R. App. P. 9.110(h) ("The court may review any ruling or matter occurring before filing of the notice.").

GROSS, C.J., WARNER and CIKLIN, JJ., concur.

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Appeal from the Circuit Court for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, Broward County; Arthur M. Birken, Judge; L.T. Case No. 07-8928 35.

Christopher Freeman, Plantation, pro se.

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Not final until disposition of timely filed motion for rehearing.