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Seth J. Feintuch is a principal in the firm's Florida Insurance Litigation Group. His practice focuses primarily on the representation of insurers in first-party property claim disputes, including the defense of litigated claims, as well as pre-litigation claims investigation and evaluations that include suspected fraudulent claims and claims that present post-loss duties compliance implications, and coverage questions. Seth's passion for novel and interesting legal issues, as well as his emphasis on promptness and diligence have helped him achieve favorable results for insurers during the course of his career, including multiple summary judgment wins, awards of sanctions in his clients' favor, and exposure of bad actors perpetrating insurance fraud.

Prior to joining Bressler, Seth represented insurers in the handling and defense of residential and commercial first-party property insurance claims throughout the State of Florida, including assisting insurers in the investigation of suspected fraudulent claims, assisting insurers in the implementation and refinement of claims handling practices, and providing legal guidance on pre-litigation coverage questions and insurance regulatory inquiries. In addition, Seth has represented business owners and insurers in personal injury, premises liability, professional liability, and products liability matters, as well as in commercial disputes.

Seth earned his J.D. from the University of Miami School of Law and graduated *cum laude*, from Hofstra University, where he earned a B.A. in Political Science while minoring in General Business.

Experience

Perlmutter v. Olympus Ins. Co., 264 So. 3d 997 (Fla. 4th DCA 2019); affirming trial court's entry of involuntary dismissal pursuant to the "Kozel factors" in light of obstructionist tactics by the insured and her counsel in the discovery process and in violation of court-mandated pre-trial deadlines.

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AREAS OF PRACTICE

First Party Property Insurance
Defense

Insurance Litigation

EDUCATION

- University of Miami School of Law, J.D., 2010
- Hofstra University, B.A., *cum laude*, 2006

ADMISSIONS

Florida

U.S. District Court, Southern
District of Florida

Corona v. Homeowners Choice Prop. & Cas. Ins. Co., Inc., 239 So. 3d 65 (Fla. 3d DCA 2018); affirming, per curiam, trial court's entry of final summary judgment and final judgment in favor of the Defendant, Homeowners Choice, for the insured's failure to submit a sworn proof of loss before filing suit.

News & Alerts

Is an Assignee's Late-Reported Hurricane Irma Claim Barred by the Statute of Limitations in Florida Statute § 627.70132?

Alert, *Insurance Defense Law Alert*, 08.17.2021

Bressler, Amery & Ross Promotes 8 Attorneys to Principal, Counsel
Firm News, 01.04.2021

Speaking Engagements & Events

Senate Bill 76: Application & Impact
Speaking Engagement, 6.24.2021-7.12.2021

Investigation of Water Damage Claims and Changing of Dates of Loss: Tools and Tricks of the Trade
Webinar, 03.12.2021

Trends in Bad Faith Litigation & Best Practices in Anticipating & Protecting Against Bad Faith Claims
Webinar, 12.2.2020-2.18.2020

Florida Statutory and Regulatory Claims Handling Requirements & Best Practices to Comply
Webinar, 11.30.2020