

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of Florida**

**Case No.: SC21-159**

**Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals Case No.: 19-10474**

STEVEN J. PINCUS, ETC.,

Appellant,

v.

AMERICAN TRAFFIC  
SOLUTIONS, INC., ETC.,

Appellee.

**APPELLEE’S REQUEST FOR DIVIDED ORAL ARGUMENT**

Appellee American Traffic Solutions, Inc. (“ATS”), pursuant to Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.320, hereby respectfully requests divided oral argument in this case. Specifically, ATS requests permission to divide its oral argument time with State’s Office of Financial Regulation. No additional oral argument time is requested. In support, ATS states as follows.

1. Appellant filed his Initial Brief on March 12, 2021. ATS filed its Answer Brief on May 12, 2021. The State of Florida’s Office of Financial Regulation filed its *Amicus Curiae* Brief on June 3, 2021. Appellant filed his Reply Brief on July 12, 2021. This request

for divided oral argument is filed within 15 days of the Reply Brief.  
See Fla. R. App. P. 9.320(a).

2. If this Court schedules oral argument in this case, ATS requests permission to divide its oral argument time with the State's Office of Financial Regulation. In particular, ATS requests permission to allow the State's Office of Financial Regulation to use five (5) minutes of its twenty (20) minutes at oral argument to present argument on its *amicus curiae* brief supporting ATS. This request for divided oral argument would have no impact on the twenty (20) minutes that would be allotted to Appellant. No additional oral argument time is requested. Undersigned counsel is authorized by the Office of the Solicitor General, through David M. Costello, to represent that the State's Office of Financial Regulation agrees with this request.

WHEREFORE, Appellee American Traffic Solutions, Inc. respectfully requests divided oral argument as described above in this case.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing request for divided oral argument was filed with the Clerk of Court and served via Florida Courts ePortal email on the following this 23rd day of July, 2021.

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