

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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No. 94-10134

Summary Calendar

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ANTONIO GRIMALDI,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

versus

WEST TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY, BARRY  
THOMPSON, LEON TREKELL, GERALD CHEN,  
RONALD THOMASON, WINSTON STAHLER, K  
SUE PARK, BRIAN LOTVEN, HORACE BAILEY,  
RICHARD MOSELEY, ROYAL BRANTLEY,  
ROBERT WRIGHT, and FRANK LANDRAM,

Defendants-Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Northern District of Texas  
(2:93-CV-13-J)

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(October 21, 1994)

Before GARWOOD, HIGGINBOTHAM, and DAVIS, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:\*

In light of Texas law's doctrine of employment of will, and its reluctance to treat employee handbooks as creating binding contractual terms, defendants did not violate a clearly established

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\* Local Rule 47.5 provides: "The publication of opinions that have no precedential value and merely decide particular cases on the basis of well-settled principles of law imposes needless expense on the public and burdens on the legal profession." Pursuant to that Rule, the Court has determined that this opinion should not be published.

right of Grimaldi's by denying him tenure. See Spuler v. Pickar,  
958 F.2d 103 (5th Cir. 1992). AFFIRMED.