

Shepard's® Citation Service

MORE ANALYSIS. STRONGER ARGUMENTS.

Go beyond verifying good law and build a stronger case with citing references that support your position and offer substantive explanations and interpretations—only with the Lexis® service.

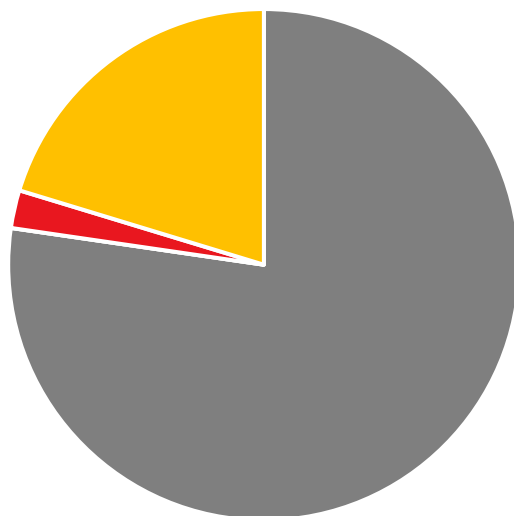
Compare 1,000 cases analyzed by KeyCite® and *Shepard's*¹.
Find 4x more analysis from *Shepard's*.

Westlaw® KeyCite® Flags

Some negative treatment
20.3%

Case is no longer good
law, e.g., reversed or
overturned/overruled
2.4%

No KeyCite Flag
77.3%



Shepard's Signal™ Indicators

Possible negative treatment,
e.g., criticized or distinguished
23.2%

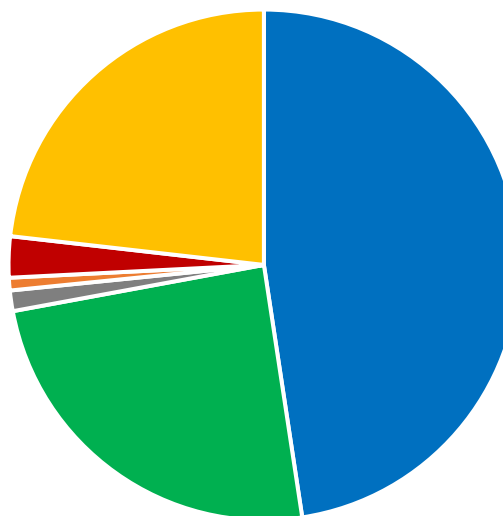
Case is no longer good law,
e.g., reversed or
overturned/overruled
2.6%

Validity questioned
0.8%

Positive treatment, e.g.,
followed or affirmed
24.5%

Analysis, e.g., explained,
interpreted or construed
47.6%

No Shepard's Signal
1.3%



¹ Methodology: In a June 2026 study by LexisNexis, researchers entered a single search for cases in Westlaw® of admissibility of evidence with a date range of 2004-2024. Researchers then compared the KeyCite flags to the *Shepard's* Signal™ of the first 1,000 cases in the results available on both Westlaw and Lexis.