

STATE OF FLORIDA
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January 31, 2020

The Honorable Ron DeSantis
Governor of the State of Florida
The Capitol, 400 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Ref: Resignation as Circuit Judge

Dear Governor DeSantis:

Please accept my resignation as Circuit Judge, Group 14, Second Judicial Circuit, State of Florida effective end of the day June 30, 2020. It has been a great honor to serve the State of Florida as a Circuit Judge since January 3, 2002. I appreciate Governor Jeb Bush for entrusting me with this position. This will not complete my term so you will have the opportunity to appoint my successor. I know that is an awesome responsibility which you will handle well.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James C. Hankinson".

James C. Hankinson
Circuit Judge
2d Judicial Circuit

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Copy: Chief Judge Jonathan Sjostrom