

**STATE OF FLORIDA**  
**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 13-253**  
(Executive Order of Suspension)

**WHEREAS**, Jessika Reyes, is presently serving as a Notary Public of the State of Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, this Office received a complaint reporting Jessika Reyes for notary misconduct;

and

**WHEREAS**, the complainant states that Jessika Reyes notarized a signature on a document when the signing party was not in her presence at the time of the notarization, in violation of Section 117.107(9), Florida Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 4, 2013, and July 10, 2013, this Office mailed letters to Jessika Reyes requiring that she provide a sworn written response as part of the investigation by this Office regarding the complaint of notary misconduct; and

**WHEREAS**, to date, Jessika Reyes has not cooperated with, or responded to, the investigation by this Office regarding the complaint of notary misconduct; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 31, 2013, this Office required Jessika Reyes' immediate resignation from the office of notary public, pursuant to Section 117.01(5)(b); and

**WHEREAS**, to date, this Office has not received the required resignation of Jessika Reyes; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interests of the citizens of the State of Florida that Jessika Reyes, be immediately suspended from the public office, which she now holds, upon the grounds set forth in this Executive Order;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK SCOTT**, Governor of Florida, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7 of the Florida Constitution and Section 117.01(4), Florida Statutes, find and state as follows:

- A. Jessika Reyes is a duly appointed Notary Public of the State of Florida, pursuant to Section 117.01, Florida Statutes.
- B. Jessika Reyes' is commissioned from December 27, 2012, through December 26, 2016.
- C. Jessika Reyes refused to cooperate or respond to an investigation by the Executive Office of the Governor, as required by Section 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes.

**BEING FULLY ADVISED** in the premise, and in accordance with the Florida Constitution and the laws of the State of Florida, this Executive Order is issued:

Section 1. Jessika Reyes is suspended from the public office which she now holds: Notary Public of the State of Florida.

Section 2. Jessika Reyes is prohibited from performing any official act, duty, or function of this public office; from receiving any pay or allowance; and from being entitled to any of the emoluments or privileges of this public office during the period of suspension, which shall begin today until further Executive Order is issued, or as otherwise provided by law.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

  
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RICK SCOTT, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
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SECRETARY OF STATE

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