



CIRCUIT COURT
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA

LODY JEAN
ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTY JUDGE

DADE COUNTY COURTHOUSE
73 WEST FLAGLER STREET
MIAMI, FLORIDA 33130

April 17, 2020

Governor Ron DeSantis
c/o Office of the General Counsel
Attn: Joe Jacquot, General Counsel
The Capital, Suite 209
400 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Resignation of Miami-Dade County Court Judge Position, Group #35

Dear Governor DeSantis,

Thank you for the honor of being chosen to be elevated to the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit. I look forward to continuing to serve the community in Miami-Dade County. My appointment to the County Bench on November 16th, 2018 was historical in that I was the first Haitian American woman to serve on the County Court in Miami-Dade County. I now become the first Haitian American to serve on the Circuit Court in Miami-Dade County.

In order to assume my new position on the Circuit Court, please allow this letter to serve as notice of my resignation from the Miami-Dade County Court Bench, Group #35, effective today April 17th, 2020. I ask that my commission to serve as a Circuit Court Judge for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit begin effective the same day, today April 17th, 2020.

Thank you for placing your trust and confidence in me to serve on the Circuit Court and the great people of not only Miami-Dade County, but the people of our great State of Florida.

I have every confidence that under your steadfast leadership, you and your hard-working staff will appoint a well-qualified successor to my seat, one who will be faithful to the Constitution of Florida and to the United States of America. I wish you and your family all the best.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lody Jean".

Lody Jean
County Court Judge