

STATE OF FLORIDA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 13-258
(Executive Order of Suspension)

WHEREAS, Kendall W. Firing, is presently serving as a Notary Public of the State of Florida;
and

WHEREAS, this Office received a complaint reporting Kendall W. Firing for notary
misconduct; and

WHEREAS, the complainant states that Kendall W. Firing notarized his own signature, in
violation of Section 117.05(1), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2013, and July 10, 2013, this Office mailed letters to Kendall W.
Firing requiring that he provide a sworn written response as part of the investigation by this Office
regarding the complaint of notary misconduct; and

WHEREAS, to date, Kendall W. Firing 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 Kendall W. Firing's immediate resignation
from the office of notary public, pursuant to Section 117.01(5)(b), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, to date, this Office has not received the required resignation of Kendall W.
Firing; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the citizens of the State of Florida that Kendall W.
Firing be immediately suspended from the public office, which he 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. Kendall W. Firing is a duly appointed Notary Public of the State of Florida, pursuant to Section 117.01, Florida Statutes.
- B. Kendall W. Firing is commissioned from August 31, 2012, through August 30, 2016.
- C. Kendall W. Firing 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. Kendall W. Firing is suspended from the public office which he now holds: Notary Public of the State of Florida.

Section 2. Kendall W. Firing 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 period 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 9th day of September, 2013.

RICK SCOTT, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

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