

# STATE OF FLORIDA

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

### EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 14-279

WHEREAS, the Honorable WILLIAM EDDINS, State Attorney for the First Judicial Circuit of Florida, was previously assigned by Executive Order 13-303, amended by Executive Order 14-163, to the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida to represent the State of Florida concerning allegations pending against Contessa Michelle Bell, Secora Sharmaine Bell, Faith Hudassah Bell, Franklin Murrell, and Siarra Lewis; and

WHEREAS, the Assigned State Attorney has advised the Governor that the duties required by the previous executive assignment have not yet been completed as a pretrial conference was held for Secora Sharmaine Bell on October 21, 2014 and a pretrial conference scheduled for Contessa Michelle Bell on November 19, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Assigned State Attorney has further advised the Governor that an extension of this assignment is necessary in order to complete the assigned duties; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the State of Florida and of the ends of justice that the assignment of the Assigned State Attorney be continued with respect to the above matters, pursuant to section 27.14, Florida Statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK SCOTT, Governor of Florida, in obedience to my solemn constitutional duty to "take care that the laws be faithfully executed," and pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, issue the following Executive Order:

Section 1.

Executive Order 13-303, amended by Executive Order 14-163, is reaffirmed and the executive assignment is extended for an additional period of one (1) year, to and including October 28, 2015.

Section 2.

The Assigned State Attorney shall notify the Governor on or before September 28, 2015, if additional time is required.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, this 24th day of October, 2014.



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RICK SCOTT, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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