

# STATE OF FLORIDA

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 20-259 (AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-142)

WHEREAS, the State Attorney for the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida was assigned by Executive Order 20-142 to the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida to handle a case involving Jeremy Ward Macauley who was convicted and sentenced on two counts of first-degree murder and the case was reversed on appeal and remanded for a new trial; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy Ward Macauley was also convicted of robbery with a firearm and the case was also remanded for a new trial.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, 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, do hereby issue the following Executive Order effective immediately:

### Section 1.

Executive Order 20-142 is hereby amended to include the charge of robbery with a firearm.

### Section 2.

Except as amended herein, Executive Order 20-142 is ratified and reaffirmed.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, this 6th day of October, 2020.

  
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RON DESANTIS, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
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SECRETARY OF STATE

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