

## Eight Judicial Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission

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January 28, 2015

The Honorable Rick Scott  
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RE: Nominees for Appointment to Circuit Court Judgeship Vacancy  
Eighth Judicial Circuit

Dear Governor Scott:

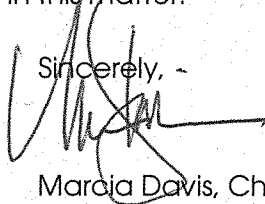
The Eighth Judicial Nominating Commission conducted interviews of twelve applicants who had applied to fill the circuit court vacancy in the Eighth Judicial Circuit. Following the interviews, the commission met in executive session to discuss the applicants and make final recommendations for your selection. The commission believes that we have provided you with six highly qualified nominees for this position. The nominees are ranked in alphabetical order and not in order of preference:

- Tania Alavi
- Jodi Cason
- Denise R. Ferrero
- Julie C. Johnson
- Donna Keim
- Bennett Hutson

Commissioner Emery Gainey will hand deliver the original applications to your office on Thursday.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely, -



Marcia Davis, Chair