



Luis M. Garcia, Circuit Judge
Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida
88770 Overseas Highway
Plantation Key, FL 33070

June 3, 2024

The Honorable Ron DeSantis
Office of the Governor, The Capitol
400 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Governor DeSantis:

I am writing to inform you of my retirement from the position of Monroe County Circuit Court Judge, Group Three, Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, effective November 30, 2024. I would respectfully suggest the Judicial Nominating Committee be convened as soon as possible to aid you in the selection of my replacement.

It has been the greatest honor and privilege of my life to have served the people of Monroe County as one of their Circuit Judges these past 24 years. I am grateful to the citizens of the Florida Keys for having allowed me to represent them in this position since my appointment in October of 2000.

Sincerely,

Luis M. Garcia, Circuit Court Judge

Cc:

Honorable Chief Judge Charles Canady

Chief Judge Bonnie Helms

Sixteenth Judicial Trial Court Administrator, Holly Elomina