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Mr. Adam Foslid
Third Appellate District
Judicial Nominating Commission
1 South East 3rd Avenue, Suite 1820
Miami, Florida 33131

Dear Mr. Foslid:

On behalf of Governor DeSantis, I am requesting that you convene the Third District Court of Appeal Judicial Nominating Commission for the purpose of selecting and submitting to the Governor the names of highly qualified lawyers for appointment to the Third District Court of Appeal. This appointment is to fill the vacancy created by resignation of Judge Vance Salter. The Governor strongly prefers submission of the maximum number of nominees (six) for the vacancy.

The Commission's deadline for completion of this undertaking is **Tuesday, June 30, 2020**. This includes a discretionary extension as authorized by Article V, Section 11(c) of the Florida Constitution.

Administrative support for the Commission will be provided by the Governor's Office, pursuant to section 43.291(7), Florida Statutes. This includes all essential administrative needs such as document distribution, public announcements and the like. Our JNC Coordinator Erin Kraeft (850-717-9310; Erin.Kraeft@eog.myflorida.com) will contact you to these ends.

The Commission's handling of this matter is most appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Jacquot", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Joe Jacquot
General Counsel

cc: The Honorable Kevin Emas
Chief Judge