

**THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**CASE NO. 19-2
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 19-60**

**IN RE: DESIGNATION OF JUDGE
VICTORIA FERRER TO SERVE AS
CHAIRPERSON AND JUDGE TANYA
BRINKLEY AND QUALIFIED
ELECTOR KRISTINE LUKASIK TO
SERVE AS ALTERNATE MEMBERS
OF THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY,
FLORIDA CANVASSING BOARD FOR
THE APRIL 2, 2019 EL PORTAL
SPECIAL ELECTION**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 3, Section 3.07 of the Miami-Dade County Charter, all elections governed by the Charter shall be canvassed by the Miami-Dade County Canvassing Board, as provide under the Election Laws of the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §102.141(1), Florida Statutes, the membership of the Miami-Dade County, Florida Canvassing Board shall be composed of the Supervisor of Elections; a County Court Judge, who shall act as Chair; and a member of the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, additionally, §102.141(e)1, Florida Statutes, requires the Chief Judge of the judicial circuit in which the county is located to appoint a County Court Judge as an Alternate Member of the County Canvassing Board; and

WHEREAS, as provided in section 102.141(1)(d), Florida Statutes, if a substitute member or alternate member cannot be appointed as specified hereinabove, or in the event of a vacancy in such office, the chief judge of the judicial circuit in which the county is located shall appoint as a substitute member or alternate member a qualified elector of the county who is not a candidate with opposition in the election being canvassed and who is not an active participant in the campaign or candidacy of any candidate with opposition in the election being canvassed; and

WHEREAS, accordingly, the Supervisor of Elections for Miami-Dade County, Florida requested that the undersigned appoint certain judicial officers to serve in such capacities for the April 2, 2019 El Portal Special Election; and

WHEREAS, the **HONORABLE VICTORIA FERRER** is willing and able to serve in the capacity of Chairperson; and

WHEREAS, the **HONORABLE TANYA BRINKLEY** is willing and able to serve in the capacity of Alternate Member; and

WHEREAS, **QUALIFIED ELECTOR KRISTINE LUKASIK** is willing and able to serve as an Alternate Member; and

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida under Rule 2.215, Rules of Judicial Administration, and §102.141, Florida Statutes, the following judicial officers and qualified elector of Miami-Dade County, Florida are appointed to serve on the Miami-Dade County, Florida Canvassing Board for the April 2, 2019 El Portal Special Election as follows:

1. Judge Victoria Ferrer shall serve as Chairperson.
2. Judge Tanya Brinkley shall serve as the Alternate Member.
3. Qualified Elector Kristine Lukasik shall serve as the Alternate Member.
4. All such Judges and the Qualified Elector are hereby authorized to attend all meetings convened for the County Canvassing Board, as required, and are hereby authorized to sign all documents pertaining to the subject Election.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade County, Florida, this 11th day of March, 2019.

**BERTILA SOTO, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA**