

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

**CASE NO. 20-2
(Court Administration)**

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 20-15 A1
(Amending AO 20-15)**

**IN RE: AMENDING APPOINTMENT
OF CERTAIN JUDICIAL OFFICERS
AND APPOINTING ADDITIONAL
MEMBERS TO SERVE AS
ALTERNATE MEMBERS OF THE
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CANVASSING BOARD FOR THE
MARCH 17, 2020 PRESIDENTIAL
PREFERENCE PRIMARY ELECTION**

WHEREAS, pursuant to §102.141(1), Florida Statutes, the membership of the County Canvassing Board shall be composed of the Supervisor of Elections; a County Court Judge, who shall act as Chair; and the Chair 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 §102.141(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 shall appoint as a substitute member or alternate member a qualified elector of the county; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §102.141, Florida Statutes, and as requested by the Supervisor of Elections, the undersigned appointed certain judicial officers to serve on the Miami-Dade County, Florida Canvassing Board for the March 17, 2020 Presidential Primary Election and attend all meetings of the Canvassing Board as required; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the appointment of the **HONORABLE VICTORIA FERRER**, as the Chair, the **HONORABLE RAUL CUERVO**, as the Substitute, and **HONORABLE ELEANE SOSA-BRUZON**, **HONORABLE MILENA ABREU** and **HONORABLE BETSY ALVAREZ-ZANE** as Alternate Members of the Canvassing Board pursuant to Administrative Order No. 20-15, the undersigned was requested by the Supervisor of Elections to appoint additional Alternate Members for the March 17,

2020 Presidential Preference Primary Election, all of whom are Qualified Electors, during this process in the event that the current Board Members are tasked with special assignments and/or become unavailable due to unforeseen circumstances.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the statutory authority set forth in §102.141, Florida Statutes and the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, under Rule 2.215, Rules of Judicial Administration, the following judicial officers and qualified electors are appointed (or re-appointed) to serve as members of the Canvassing Board for the March 17, 2020 Presidential Preference Primary Election as hereinafter specified and are hereby authorized to sign all documents pertaining to the Election as required or as authorized by law:

1. Judge Victoria Ferrer will continue to serve as Chair of the Canvassing Board.
2. Judge Raul Cuervo will continue to serve as Substitute of the Canvassing Board.
3. Judge Eleane Sosa-Bruzon, Judge Milena Abreu and Judge Betsy Alvarez-Zane will continue to serve as Alternate members of the Canvassing Board.
4. The following Qualified Electors will serve as Alternate members of the Canvassing Board:
 - Michelle McClain
 - Vanessa Ramirez
 - Angela Rivero
 - Suzanne Trutie
 - Roberto Rodriguez

Except as amended herein, all terms and conditions set forth in Administrative Order No. 20-15, as amended, remain in full force and effect.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami-Dade County, Florida, this 18th day of March 2020.

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