

CASE NO. SC2025-1176

Supreme Court of Florida

GARY S. EDINGER,

Petitioner,

v.

RON DESANTIS,

in his official capacity as Governor of Florida,

Respondent.

**APPENDIX TO GOVERNOR'S RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR
WRIT OF MANDAMUS**

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RON DESANTIS
GOVERNOR

August 1, 2025

The Honorable Kristine Van Vorst



Dear Judge Van Vorst,

It is my pleasure to appoint you to the 8th Judicial Circuit Court. Your appointment is evidence of my utmost confidence in your ability to serve with excellence and distinction.

You will soon receive your qualifying papers from the Department of State. Please note that these papers will need to be filed before you are able to assume your position.

Congratulations and thank you for your willingness to serve the people of Florida.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ron DeSantis".

Ron DeSantis
Governor

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of this Appendix has been served on all counsel of record through the Florida Courts E-Filing Portal this 8th day of August, 2025.

/s/ David Axelman