



**RICK SCOTT**  
GOVERNOR

April 8, 2016

Attorney General Pam Bondi  
Office of the Attorney General  
State of Florida  
The Capitol PL-01  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Attorney General Bondi:

Following the resignation of Mike Prendergast as Executive Director of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, a vacancy has occurred in that position that requires action by myself and the members of the cabinet.

Pursuant to section 20.37(1), Florida Statutes, and our Cabinet Governance Guidelines, I name Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Sutphin for your consideration to serve as the Interim Executive Director of the Department of Veterans' Affairs. This interim appointment will be brought before the Cabinet at the next regularly scheduled meeting on April 26, 2016. At that time, we will also discuss the process to search for and identify a candidate for appointment as Executive Director of the Department.

Enclosed is a copy of Glenn Sutphin's resume for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Rick Scott  
Governor



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Chief Financial Officer Jeff Atwater  
Florida Department of Financial Services  
The Capitol PL-11  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Chief Financial Officer Atwater:

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Commissioner Adam Putnam  
Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services  
The Capitol PL-10  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Commissioner Putnam:

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