

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

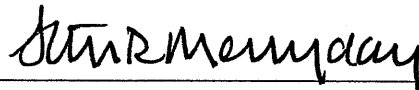
In the Matter of the Appointment
of a United States Magistrate Judge
for the Middle District of Florida

CASE NO. 8:19-mc-01-T-23

ORDER

Under 28 U.S.C. § 631(b)(5) and Volume 3, Chapter 4, Section 420.30, *Guide to Judiciary Policy*, a January 3, 2019 order (Doc. 1) establishes a merit selection panel to consider applications for a magistrate judge in Orlando, Florida. Because layperson Michael Leinbach has become unable to serve on the merit selection panel, layperson Martin Shapp of Indialantic, Florida, is appointed as Mr. Leinbach's successor. A January 15, 2019 letter notifies Mr. Shapp of Section 420.30.20(d), *Guide to Judiciary Policy*, the one-year restriction on a panel member's applying for a magistrate judgeship.

ORDERED in Tampa, Florida, on January 15th, 2019.



STEVEN D. MERRYDAY
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE