

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL
CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

CASE NO: 2023-000717-CA-01

SECTION: CA04

JUDGE: Carlos Guzman

Todd B Hannon (Clerk of the City of Miami)

Plaintiff(s)

vs.

Alicia S Kossick et al

Defendant(s)

FINAL DECLARATORY JUDGMENT

THIS CAUSE came to be heard by the Court on January 19, 2023 by a lengthy special set, in-person evidentiary hearing at the Miami-Dade County Courthouse, 73 West Flagler Street, Miami, Florida 33130, on Plaintiff Todd B. Hannon's ("Plaintiff's"), Complaint for Emergency Declaratory and Injunctive Relief for Judicial Determination with Regard to the Qualifications of Candidate Alicia S. Kossick ("Defendant") for City of Miami Commissioner, District 2, seeking declaratory relief (Count I) and an injunction (Count II) on the basis that Defendant has not qualified to be a candidate for City Commissioner, District 2, in the upcoming February 27, 2023 Special Election because Defendant was not a qualified elector in the City of Miami, District 2, by the end of the qualifying deadline, on January 13, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. This Court, having heard arguments of counsel, testimony of witnesses and reviewed the Complaint, the documents introduced into evidence, and having otherwise been fully advised, hereby

ORDERS AND ADJUDGES that:

1. Plaintiff's request for emergency declaratory relief as stated in Count I of the Complaint is respectfully GRANTED.
2. Plaintiff's request for emergency injunctive relief as stated in Count II of the Complaint is

respectfully GRANTED.

3. The Court finds as a matter of law that the Plaintiff has met its burden in demonstrating that Defendant has not satisfied the requirements as set forth in the City's Resolution 23-0001, City of Section 16-6 of the City of Miami Code of Ordinances, and Section 4 of the Charter of the City of Miami, to be a candidate for the upcoming Special Election on February 27, 2023 for City Commissioner, District 2.
4. The Court finds as a matter of law that Defendant has not qualified to be a candidate for the upcoming Special Election on February 27, 2023 for City of Miami Commissioner, District 2 because, under City's Resolution 23-0001, Section 16-6 of the City of Miami Code of Ordinances, and Section 4 of the Charter of the City of Miami, Defendant was not a qualified elector by the qualifying deadline.
5. Defendant Alicia S. Kossick's name shall not be included on the ballot for the aforementioned Special Election for City Commissioner District 2.
6. Final Judgment is hereby respectfully entered in favor of Plaintiff Todd B. Hannon and against Defendant Alicia S. Kossick.

DONE and **ORDERED** in Chambers at Miami-Dade County, Florida on this 20th day of January, 2023.

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Hon. Carlos Guzman

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

Electronically Signed

Final Order as to All Parties SRS #: 12 (Other)

THE COURT DISMISSES THIS CASE AGAINST ANY PARTY NOT LISTED IN THIS FINAL ORDER OR PREVIOUS ORDER(S). THIS CASE IS CLOSED AS TO ALL PARTIES.

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