

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY**

**GENERAL ORDER No. 26-7**

**ORDER**

The Court, pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Title 28, United States Code, Sections 631 and 636, inclusive, HEREBY ORDERS:

MATTHEW A. STINNETT, an individual possessing all of the qualifications set forth in Title 28, United States Code, Section 631 (b) and none of the disqualifications set forth in Title 28, United States Code, Sections 631 (c) and 631 (d), and has been duly recommended by a Magistrate Judges' Merit Selection Panel be, and he is, hereby reappointed full-time United States Magistrate Judge for a term of eight (8) years, effective Monday, October 26, 2026, to serve at Lexington, Kentucky, with a duty station at Lexington.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this reappointment shall be entered into the record in the Office of the Clerk of this court and that Notice of reappointment shall be given forthwith by the Clerk to the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, pursuant to Section 631 (h) of Title 28, United States Code.

This 20th day of April, 2026.



**Signed By:**

**David L. Bunning**

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of the letters "DB" in a stylized, cursive font.

**Chief United States District Judge**

Eastern District of Kentucky

**FILED**

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Robert R. Carr

Clerk, U.S. District Court