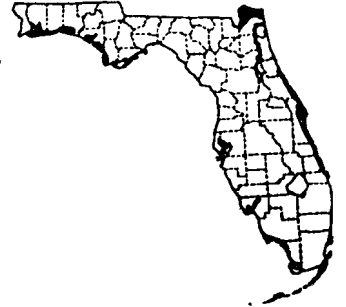




# NASSAU COUNTY

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Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida  
2100 Jefferson Street  
Jacksonville, FL 32206

March 25, 1983

T. J. "Jerry" GREESON  
Ex-Officio Clerk

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Dear Mrs. Wilson:

The Board of County Commissioners has instructed this office to forward to you the enclosed executed originals of the Amendment to Contract.

Please return a copy of same after it has been duly executed.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter, and if we can be of any further assistance, please notify us.

Sincerely,

T. J. "Jerry" Greeson  
Ex - Officio Clerk

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AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Medical Examiners Commission, hereafter referred to as "COMMISSION" and Nassau County, hereafter referred to as "COUNTY", entered into a contract effective July 1, 1982 through June 30, 1983,

WHEREAS, that contract provided in paragraph 4 thereof, that such contract is subject to the availability of funds,

WHEREAS, that contract provided in paragraph 5 thereof, that such contract may be amended in writing by the mutual consent of the parties thereto,

WHEREAS, the parties to such contract are desirous of having all provisions of the contract dated the 2nd day of December, 1982, remain in full force and effect except those amended hereby,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and promises contained herein, the above stated contract is amended as follows:

2.A. To pay the COUNTY a total sum of \$4,639.00 to be paid in semi-annual payments, the first disbursement to be for \$2,365.00 and the second disbursement to be for \$2,274.00.

2.B. Payment shall be made on a semi-annual basis. Payment for the first two quarters shall be made upon execution of this Contract. The second payment shall be made upon execution of the Contract Amendment and when the documents outlined in Item 1(C) above are provided to the COMMISSION and after the COMMISSION has received its 4th quarter allotment of General Revenue Funds, approximately April 1, 1983.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this amended contract on the date set beside their names.

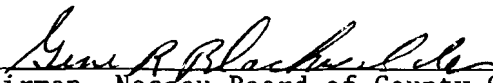
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State of Florida, Medical Examiners Commission  
Staff Director

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Date

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State of Florida, Department of Law Enforcement  
Deputy Commissioner

March 22, 1983  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

  
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Chairman, Nassau Board of County Commissioners

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Date

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District 4 Medical Examiner

BOARD MEETING.

DATE: 3/22 1983

ACTION: 8

INFO:



Office of the  
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2100 JEFFERSON STREET  
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PETER LIPKOVIC, M.D.  
CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER

(904) 633-2720

ORIGINAL

March 15, 1983

Honorable T. J. Greeson  
Ex-Officio Clerk  
P. O. Box 1010  
Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Dear Mr. Greeson:

Enclosed is copy of letter regarding the second disbursement of funds for Nassau County, which is self-explanatory, together with three copies of Amendment to Contract.

Please execute and date the three originals and return them to this office for transmittal to Tallahassee. A duly executed copy of the Amendment will be returned to you for your files.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

*Margaret Wilson*

Margaret Wilson  
Administrative Assistant

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STATE OF FLORIDA

*Department of Law Enforcement*



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*Commissioner*

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February 23, 1983

Peter Lipkovic, M.D.  
2100 Jefferson Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32206

Dear Dr. Lipkovic:

As you are probably aware, mandatory reserves of 2% of funds allocated for medical examiner services were required by Cabinet action of August 25, 1982. Since that time, State revenue shortfall has indicated the need for an additional mandatory reserve of 2.49% of the adjusted allocations, an action which was mandated by the Florida Cabinet at its meeting of November 16, 1982.

To reduce the impact of the 2.49% mandatory reserve, the Medical Examiners Commission, at its January 28, 1983 meeting, voted to reallocate a total of \$9,340 to participating counties in order to supplement the cost of medical examiner services. This amount is composed of \$2,500 from prison autopsy monies and \$6,840 from Hernando County's allotted share of funds as Hernando County elected not to participate in the State supplemental funding program. Despite these efforts, the second disbursement of funds will reflect a decrease.

Paragraph 4 of the contract between the Department of Law Enforcement, the Medical Examiners Commission, the District Medical Examiner and Nassau County, provides that the contract is subject to the availability of funds. Paragraph 5 further requires that any amendments may be made, "when they have been reduced to writing, duly signed and attached to the original" of the contract. The attached Contract Amendment, then, is intended to reflect a reduction in the total funds to be provided to Nassau County of \$91.00. This reduction will be applied to the second disbursement of funds Nassau County will receive, subject of course to other applicable contract provisions.

Letter to Dr. Lipkovic  
February 23, 1983  
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Please sign and date all three (3) copies of the enclosed Contract Amendment and forward same to respective county officials in your jurisdiction for their similar execution. As soon as all three (3) copies of the Contract Amendment are received by this office, properly executed, a copy of the amendment will be provided to the county and processing of the agreement will continue.

We sincerely regret the necessity for this action and trust this explanation will be satisfactory. Please let me know if you require any further information in this regard.

Sincerely,

Frank H. Carter, Director  
Division of Staff Services

  
Jeffrey W. Long, Staff Director  
Medical Examiners Commission

JWL:si  
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Attachment