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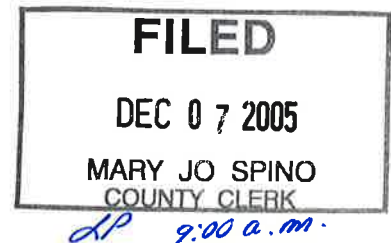
EXECUTIVE ORDER #05-29

**TO: MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE
CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE**

**FROM: KATHERYN J. SHIELDS
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DATE: DECEMBER 7, 2005

RE: APPOINTMENT TO MERIT SYSTEM COMMISSION



I hereby appoint Melinda Bunyard to the commission to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Jill Shurin, for a term to expire December 31, 2006. A copy of Ms. Bunyard's resume is attached.


Katheryn J. Shields, County Executive

Date: 12-7-05



MELINDA K. BUNYARD

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EDUCATION

Juris Doctorate University of Missouri-Kansas City
Bachelor of Arts "with distinction" University of Missouri-Kansas City

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 20 years litigation experience
- 16 years private practice; family; criminal probate; and business law

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