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FLRA REGIONAL DIRECTOR APPOINTED

The Office of General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Richard S. Jones as Regional Director of the Atlanta Regional Office. Mr. Jones will be responsible for management of personnel and operations relating to the investigation, analysis, resolution, and litigation of unfair labor practice cases in the Atlanta Region, which covers Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, South Carolina, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. In addition, he will supervise the processing of representation petitions for cases arising in his Region.

Mr. Jones received his undergraduate degree from DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana and his Juris Doctor Degree from the University of Toledo in Toledo, Ohio. He began his career in the Federal service in 1984 as an FLRA Field Attorney with the Atlanta Regional Office. He then served as the Atlanta Region's Litigation Specialist from 1989 until his promotion to the position of Regional Attorney in October 2002. Jones served as the Acting Regional Director of the Atlanta Region from January 2009 until he was appointed Regional Director effective January 15, 2012.

The FLRA administers the labor-management relations program for 1.6 million non-Postal Federal employees worldwide, approximately 1.1 million of whom are represented in 2,200 bargaining units. It is charged with providing leadership in establishing policies and guidance related to Federal sector labor-management relations and with resolving disputes under, and ensuring compliance with, the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute.

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