February 9, 2017

Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

I, Jeff Sessions, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that—

A. OATH OF OFFICE

I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God.

B. AFFIDAVIT AS TO STRIKING AGAINST THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

I am not participating in any strike against the Government of the United States or any agency thereof, and I will not so participate while an employee of the Government of the United States or any agency thereof.

C. AFFIDAVIT AS TO THE PURCHASE AND SALE OF OFFICE

I have not, nor has anyone acting in my behalf, given, transferred, promised or paid any consideration for or in expectation or hope of receiving assistance in securing this appointment.

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this 9th day of February 2017 at Washington, District of Columbia, (City) (State)

Commission expires (If by a Notary Public, the date of his/her Commission should be shown)

Note - If the appointee objects to the form of the oath on religious grounds, certain modifications may be permitted pursuant to the Religious Freedom Restoration Act. Please contact your agency's legal counsel for advice.
Donald J. Trump
President of the United States of America.

To all who shall see these presents, Greeting:

Know ye, that relying upon trust and confidence in the Patriotism, Integrity and Abilities of Jeff Sessions of Alabama, I have nominated, and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint, here,

Attorney General

and, do authorize and empower him to execute and fulfill the duties of that Office according to law, and to have and to hold the said Office, with all the powers, privileges and emoluments to the same of right appertaining, unto him the said

Jeff Sessions

during the pleasure of the President of the United States, for the time being.

In testimony whereof, I have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this ___ day of February, in the year of our Lord, two thousand, and the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-first.

By the President.

Secretary of State.

[Signature]

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