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GRIFFIN ANNOUNCES RESIGNATION

Little Rock - United States Attorney Tim Griffin, 38, of Little Rock, has announced his resignation effective Friday, June 1. Griffin will be pursuing opportunities in the private sector and made the following statement:

“I greatly appreciate the opportunity to serve in the Department of Justice, especially as United States Attorney. I have particularly enjoyed serving in my home state of Arkansas and look forward to remaining here. I am proud of what the United States Attorney’s Office (USAO) has accomplished, especially our efforts to provide outreach and training in rural counties and the USAO’s close cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in providing federal civil rights law training to law enforcement and community leaders.”

“I have enjoyed working with my friends, the dedicated public servants of the USAO, many of whom I first met during my service as a Special Assistant United States Attorney from 2001-2002. They welcomed me, taught me, inspired me, served shoulder-to-shoulder with me and have been an absolute joy with which to work. I will miss them dearly.”

Griffin is a cum laude graduate of both Hendrix College in Conway, and Tulane Law School in New Orleans. He attended graduate school in Modern British and European History at Oxford University. He is a major in the United States Army Reserve, Judge Advocate General’s Corps and served a year on active duty, including as an Army prosecutor and in Iraq. He previously prosecuted as a Special Assistant United States Attorney in the Eastern District of Arkansas, 2001-2002.

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