

Alan S. Johnson



Biography

Alan S. Johnson currently serves as Chief Assistant State Attorney for the 15th Judicial Circuit, a position he previously held from 2005 – 2009. He returned to the State Attorney's Office in 2013 after serving three years as Executive Director of the newly established Palm Beach County Commission on Ethics. As an Assistant State Attorney for 25 years, Mr. Johnson has prosecuted numerous high profile felony cases. In 2016, Mr. Johnson was asked to lead the State Attorney's Sober Homes Task Force, established by the Florida Legislature, to conduct a study aimed to strengthen investigation and prosecution of criminal and regulatory violations within the substance abuse treatment industry. In 2017, the Task Force recommended significant legislative changes in the areas of marketing, patient brokering and treatment industry standards. These initiatives passed unanimously and were adopted into law on July 1, 2017. In its first 3 years of operation, the law enforcement side of the Task Force investigated and filed 97 criminal cases against individuals for violating fraud and patient brokering laws.

Mr. Johnson graduated from Columbia University in 1973 and obtained his law degree from Georgetown University Law Center in 1976.