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CANDACE R. COLE JOINS UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Candace R. Cole, former chief assistant prosecuting attorney/county counselor at the Cass County Prosecutor's Office, has joined the United States Attorney's Office. Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced today that Cole has been hired as an Assistant U.S. Attorney.

Prior to joining the United States Attorney's Office, Cole worked nearly 10 years in the Cass County Prosecutor's Office. She also has legal experience working as an associate attorney and law clerk at Paxton & Beth, a P.C., as a law intern in the Jackson County Public Defenders Office and as a law clerk at Meyerdirk Title Co.

Prior to practicing law, Cole worked four years as a respiratory therapist at Menorah Medical Center.

She received her law degree from the University of Missouri-Kansas City, School of Law and a bachelor's degree from the University of Kansas, School of Allied Health.

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