

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

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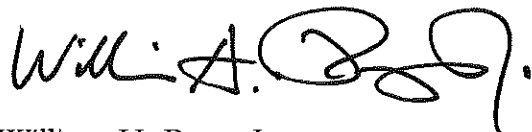
The Honorable Eleanor Louise Ross
United States District Court
Richard B. Russell Federal Building and United States Courthouse
75 Ted Turner Drive, Room 1788
Atlanta, GA 30303

Re: Second Inquiry Under Judicial-Conduct Rule 5

Dear Judge Ross:

Thank you for your response to my letter of June 10, 2026, inquiring under Judicial-Conduct Rule 5 about the inadequacy of the letters of apology you sent to your former law clerks in connection with Judicial Complaint No. 11-25-90212. Based on my review of your new apology letters, my disclosure of the June 10 inquiry to *The New York Times*, and your consent to disclose the new apology letters to *The New York Times*, I have determined not to identify a new complaint under Rule 5.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Will. A. Pryor Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

William H. Pryor Jr.