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Governor Ron DeSantis  
The Capitol  
400 S. Monroe St.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Re: Passing of Judge Eric Wm. Hendon; Vacancy on Third District Court of Appeal

Dear Governor DeSantis:

As the Chief Judge of the Third District Court of Appeal, it is my solemn duty to advise you that one of our sitting judges, the Honorable Eric Wm. Hendon, passed away last night, February 26, 2024.

Judge Hendon brought to this court decades of experience as a trial lawyer, appellate advocate, and trial judge, as well as kindness, humor, and good fellowship. He will be sorely missed.

I am notifying you of this vacancy on our court both because of your known attention to the state of our courts and because of your constitutional authority to appoint judges when a vacancy occurs.

Sincerely,

Thomas Logue

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cc: Ryan Newman, General Counsel  
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