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Dennis W. Quirk, President New York State Court Officers Association 321 Broadway, Suite 600

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Re: File No. 2021/A-0227

Dear Mr. Quirk:

This letter is written pursuant to Section 44, subdivision 11, of the Judiciary Law, to apprise you of the Commission's disposition of your complaint dated August 27, 2021, against Janet DiFiore, who at the time was Chief Judge of the State of New York and Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals.

Inasmuch as Chief Judge DiFiore resigned from office on August 31, 2022, and Section 47 of the Judiciary Law strictly limits the Commission's jurisdiction when a judge resigns, the matter against the former Chief Judge has been closed, subject to being resumed should she ever return to judicial office.

Pursuant to the confidentiality mandate of Section 45 of the Judiciary Law, I am not at liberty to disclose further information.

Very truly yours,

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