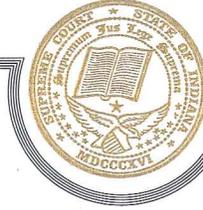


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Hon. Mike Pence, Governor of the State of Indiana  
Statehouse  
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Dear Governor Pence,

Early this past November, I announced my intention to step down this coming spring from my position as Associate Justice of the Indiana Supreme Court. Thank you for your generous and positive public remarks following that announcement. The time has now arrived for me to specify the date of my resignation. April 29, 2016 will be my final day.

I trust that today's naming of April 29 as my retirement date will afford sufficient time for the Indiana Judicial Nominating Commission to nominate three candidates for the resulting vacancy, and then thereafter for you to make the final selection.

It has been an enormously gratifying experience and privilege to have served the citizens of Indiana and our state judiciary for thirty years.

Gratefully,

  
Brent E. Dickson

cc: Loretta Rush, Chief Justice of Indiana  
Robert Rucker, Steven David, Mark Massa, Associate Justices, Indiana Supreme Court  
Sue Ellspermann, Lieutenant Governor of State of Indiana  
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