

THE SUPREME COURT OF MONTANA

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Greg Gianforte
Governor, State of Montana
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Dear Governor Gianforte:

Pursuant to the Senate's adverse action to Hon. Michele Reinhart Levine's confirmation, the position as state district judge, Department A, in the Eighth Judicial District is officially vacant.

As of last week the Department A calendar had 125 cases set for trial between now and August. For that reason, I am asking that you initiate the replacement process as soon as possible.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mike McGrath".

Mike McGrath
Chief Justice

C: Hon. John A. Kutzman
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Hon. John W. Parker
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