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Honorable John P. Asiello
Chief Clerk of the Court of Appeals
Court of Appeals Hall
20 Eagle Street
Albany, New York 12207-1095

Re: Matter of Astacio

Dear Mr. Asiello:

The Commission has asked me to reply to your letter dated April 24, 2018, inviting the Commission to present its views with respect to the Court's own motion to consider suspending the Honorable Leticia D. Astacio.

The Commission takes no position with respect to whether Judge Astacio should be suspended, leaving the matter to the sound discretion of the Court.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Edward Lindner".

Edward Lindner

cc: Robert Julian, Esq.