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Re: No. 2008AP2458-J, Wisconsin Judicial Commission v. Michael J. Gableman.

Dear Counsel:

I write you regarding the above-referenced matter. You may or may not know that Darrin Schmitz and Mark Graul worked on Michael Gableman's recent campaign for the Supreme Court. Out of an excess of caution, I am disclosing to you that they also worked on my campaign for the Supreme Court in 2007.

This fact, however, does not impact my ability to be fair and impartial in this case. I plan to participate in this case.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Annette K. Ziegler".

Annette K. Ziegler  
Supreme Court Justice

cc: Chief Justice Shirley S. Abrahamson  
Justice Ann Walsh Bradley  
Justice N. Patrick Crooks  
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Justice Michael K. Gableman  
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