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You are hereby notified that the Court, by its Clerk and Commissioners, has entered the following order:

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Shawn Force, pro se, submitted what he characterizes as an “informal letter” to this court, along with numerous attachments. The letter was originally placed in the file for Appeal No. 2024AP145, in which the court of appeals recently rendered a decision adverse to Mr. Force in a harassment injunction action—Wood County Case No. 23CV437. However, Mr. Force’s letter does not appear to be seeking review of the court of appeals’ decision in that matter. Instead, Mr. Force raises a variety of concerns regarding a separate child custody matter—Wood County Case No. 2024FA039. Mr. Force raises concerns over the waiver of certain fees and the circuit court’s scheduling decisions in that matter.

Because Mr. Force’s letter does not relate to Appeal No. 2024AP145, this court directed its clerk to open a new miscellaneous file for Mr. Force’s “informal letter.” Additionally, the court,

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sua sponte, sealed the letter and attachments because the documents contain personally identifying information and confidential medical information concerning a minor.

Mr. Force's letter does not request any specific form of relief, and instead "ask[s] this court to please contact the lower court" to "ensure that the Wood County Circuit Court going forward will comply with the rules and regulations in accordance to the Wisconsin State Legislature and SCR Chapter 60 Code of Judicial Conduct." The court notes that there is no appeal pending with regard to Wood County Case No. 2024FA039, nor is there any other form of proceeding pending before this court with respect to that case. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the court will take no action on Mr. Force's letter and related attachments; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk of this court is directed to close the new miscellaneous case file for this matter.

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Samuel A. Christensen  
Clerk of Supreme Court