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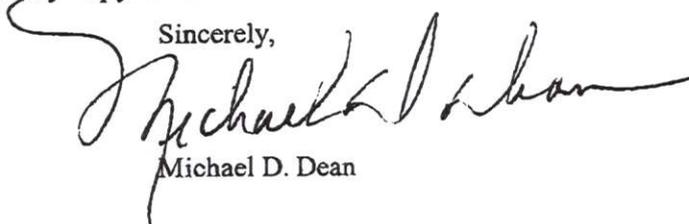
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Dear Mr. Voelker:

I am writing in respect to Intervenors' Motion for Recusal or Disqualification of Justice Gableman filed December 21. I had intended to file a response on behalf of petitioners by tomorrow, but will be unable to do so because of a medical situation. I will therefore file petitioners' response on Tuesday, January 3, within the period provided under Rules 809.63 and 809.14. (The clerk has advised me that the clerk's office and this Court will not be open to receive filings on Monday, January 2.) On behalf of petitioners, I respectfully request that the Court and Justice Gableman consider petitioners' response prior to any action in relation to intervenors' motion.

Thank you. Counsel are being served by copy of this letter.

Sincerely,



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