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For Mercer County

District VII

2015-2016 Term

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March 10, 2016

James G. Fearon, Esq.
428 River View Plaza
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**Re: John Paff v. [REDACTED] Esq.
Docket No. VII-16-10E**

Dear Mr. Fearon:

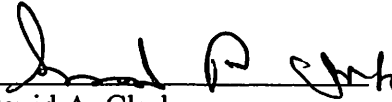
I am attaching the grievance form filed by John Paff against [REDACTED] Esq. along with any supporting documents relating to the grievance. I am assigning this grievance to you for investigation. If this case presents a conflict for you, please let me know as soon as possible. Otherwise, please proceed with an investigation of this grievance. Please be advised that this grievance has been assigned a "standard" priority code and that you should endeavor to conclude your investigation by September 10, 2016.

By copy of this letter, I am notifying the grievant and the respondent that you have been assigned to investigate this matter and that you will be in contact with them in the near future. Please copy my office on your initial letter to the respondent so that I know you have received this assignment and have begun your investigation. All parties are advised that matters before the Committee are confidential and may not be disclosed to anyone outside the Committee. All correspondence should be marked "Private and Confidential".

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Once you have concluded your investigation and your findings have been approved by the Committee Chair, please provide me with four (4) copies of your investigation report (and, if you are recommending that charges be filed, the Complaint) at the above address.

Very truly yours,

By: 
David A. Clark
District VII Ethics Secretary

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Enclosures

cc: Peter F. Kelly, Esq., Chair (w/o enclosures)
William B. Ziff, Esq., Deputy Statewide Coordinator (w/o enclosures)
Hillary Horton, Esq., District Liaison (w/ enclosures)
John Paff, Grievant (w/o enclosures)
[REDACTED] Esq., Respondent (w/o enclosure)