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Dear Governor Kemp:

The Judicial Nominating Commission met on March 1, 2023, to conduct interviews and consider the candidates for the vacancy on the Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia. The Commission interviewed nineteen candidates.

After considering each of the candidates, the Commission sends the following names to you for consideration.

Carolyn "Tippi" Burch
Jeremy U. Littlefield
Shondeana C. Morris
J. Wade Padgett
Jeffrey A. Watkins

Thank you for allowing us this opportunity.

Sincerely,

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