UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE SIXTH CIRCUIT
OHIO - MICHIGAN - KENTUCKY - TENNESSEE

CHAMBERS OF

R. GUY COLE, JR.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE

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December 10, 2021

President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

I am writing to inform you that I intend to retire from regular active service as a United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit upon the confirmation by the United States Senate of my successor. It is my intention to continue to perform substantial judicial service as a senior judge.

Sincerely,

R. Guy Cole, Jr.

cc: The Honorable John G. Roberts, Chief Justice, U.S. Supreme Court
The Honorable Jeffery S. Sutton, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit
The Honorable Roslynn R. Mauskopf, Director, Administrative Offices of U.S. Courts