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**NEWS RELEASE**

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Statement from Chief Judge Schiltz on the Retirement of Judge Wright**

Minneapolis, MN – Chief Judge Patrick J. Schiltz issued the following statement on the retirement of Judge Wilhelmina M. Wright:

“Judge Wright has been a wonderful colleague and close friend who has served with great distinction as a United States District Judge. On behalf of the federal court in Minnesota, I want to thank Judge Wright for her outstanding service to the people of Minnesota and the nation. It has been a great honor to serve with her. Judge Wright is exceptionally talented, and she has a well-earned reputation as a fair, reasonable, and dedicated judge. All of us federal judges have been privileged to work with her during the latest chapter of her extraordinary career. Our Court will really miss her as she retires from federal service.”

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