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Marshall Davidson, III Disciplinary Counsel Tennessee Board of Judicial Conduct 403 Seventh Avenue, Sute 202 Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Mr. Davidson:

Unfortunately, I am required by duty to write to you once more regarding Judge Bill Anderson. I wish to add this new information to my pending complaint against him. Last night on the evening news, Judge Anderson, when asked about the new law elevating safety of the community as the first consideration when setting bail he said; "You can't consider the facts of that [open] case to decide public safety to the community... What you decide safety of the community on is if they [suspect] have a prior history of violence, prior history of not showing up for court, have a prior history of other types of activities, <u>but you do not consider the facts of the present case</u>." [emphasis added] I will forward you a clip of the news package for your review.

I believe his present behavior to be so dangerous that I am respectfully requesting you suspend Judge Anderson pending the outcome of your investigation. Memphis and Shelby County are in increasing danger the longer he remains on the bench without guidance as to how to appropriately apply state law.

Thank you for doing your part to ensure our judicial system is fair and impartial.

As always, if I can be of service, please let me know.

Sincerely, tor Brent Taylor