



HAROLD LEVANDER  
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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
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October 16, 1969

The Honorable Herman A. <sup>Kjoa</sup> Kjoa  
Judge of Probate and Juvenile Court  
Pennington County  
Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701

Dear Judge Kjoa:

This will acknowledge your letter of October 3, 1969 wherein you submit your request for retirement from the Bench effective December 31, 1969. I hereby accept your application for retirement as submitted.

You are to be commended for your many, many years of dedicated service to your constituents and to your community.

Please accept my personal gratitude for the public service you have rendered.

Sincerely yours,

Harold LeVander  
GOVERNOR

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*James L. Olson*  
Secretary of State

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*Handwritten initials*

HERMAN A. KJOS, Judge  
DERWOOD J. LUND, Probation Officer  
ANNA B. LEIRAN, Clerk

October 3, 1969

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The Honorable Harold LeVander  
Governor, State of Minnesota  
State Capitol  
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Governor LeVander:

I have served as Judge of Probate Court of Pennington County continuously since my election in 1940 - re-elected without opposition ever since. I am completing twenty nine (29) years in office come January 1st. I was born on October 24, 1901 and will now be eligible to retire under statue 490.12 Subd. 2.

I hereby respectfully apply for my retirement under the above statue, effective on December 31, 1969. May I hear from you as soon as possible and will you proceed in the usual manner to contact local Bar Members so that one of the local attorneys may make plans to accept the appointment as my successor.

Thanking you for your cooperation, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

*Handwritten signature of Herman A. Kjos*

Herman A. Kjos  
Judge of Probate Court

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