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**Statement of Chief Judge Rebecca R. Pallmeyer on District Judge Feinerman's
Resignation from the District Court Bench**

District Judge Gary Feinerman has announced that he will be returning to the practice of law and has submitted a letter to the President, resigning his commission effective December 31, 2022.

Judge Feinerman is a valued colleague and outstanding jurist, who will be greatly missed. On behalf of my colleagues on the bench, I want to thank Judge Feinerman for his dedicated service to our district these past twelve years and wish him all the best in his next endeavor.

Pursuant to the Local Rules and Internal Operation Procedures of the Court, the Clerk will randomly reassign Judge Feinerman's pending cases as he finishes his time on the bench. The Court looks forward to working with Senators Durbin and Duckworth as they establish a screening committee to review and vet candidates to be considered for this new vacancy.