

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA**

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**ROBERT C. CHAMBERS
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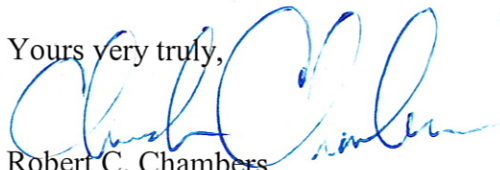
Mr. Ruford Hager
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Dear Mr. Hager:

I would like to express my appreciation for two of your employees, Bruce Gold and Phil Scott, for their part in the restoration of my courtroom at the Sidney L. Christie Building and United States Courthouse at Huntington, West Virginia. Both gentlemen made optimum use of available funds, were conscientious about the project scheduling, and used their skills and talents for the best of all concerned. It was very apparent that Mr. Gold and Mr. Scott took pride in this project and were dedicated to quality because the results speak for themselves. I have had countless visitors, including employees, the bar, and the general public, comment on the major enhancements and beauty of the renovated courtroom, and I thought that you should know.

Mr. Gold's and Mr. Scott's efforts were outstanding, and I am sincerely grateful for their part in this project. It is truly a pleasure to hold Court in this room.

Yours very truly,



Robert C. Chambers
United States District Judge

cc: Mr. Bruce Gold
Mr. Phil Scott
Ms. Teresa L. Deppner