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**STATEMENT OF JUDGE KAREN LeCRAFT HENDERSON
REGARDING JUDICIAL MISCONDUCT COMPLAINTS**

Washington, D.C. - October 6, 2018: Acting pursuant to Rule 25 (f) of the *Rules for Judicial-Conduct and Judicial-Disability Proceedings*, Judge Karen LeCraft Henderson has issued the following statement.

Under the Judicial Conduct and Disability Act (28 U.S.C. §§351-364) any person may file a misconduct complaint against a federal judge in the circuit in which the federal judge sits. After the start of Judge Brett Kavanaugh's confirmation hearings, members of the general public began filing complaints in the D.C. Circuit about statements made during those hearings. The complaints do not pertain to any conduct in which Judge Kavanaugh engaged as a judge. The complaints seek investigations only of the public statements he has made as a nominee to the Supreme Court of the United States.