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**VIA EMAIL**

Honorable Milton E. Potter  
President  
Thirty-Sixth Legislature of the Virgin Islands  
Capitol Building  
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802

Dear Mr. President:

I am writing to formally notify you that, regrettably, I will be unable to testify before the 36<sup>th</sup> Legislature's Committee of the Whole regarding Bill No. 36-0085, an act to prevent or rescind any automatic implementation of salary adjustments made pursuant to the recommendations of the Virgin Islands Public Officials Compensation Commission. Unfortunately, due to scheduling conflicts, I am unable to participate at this time.

I trust that in the future, we will have a more suitable opportunity to address this matter of public officials' compensation and retirement through an open and fair process, based on proven data and methodologies. I apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused and truly appreciate your understanding. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "K. Williams", is written over the typed name.

Kevin A. Williams, Sr.  
Chief of Staff