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Re: Notice of Suit pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 95-1-5

Dear Mr. Quin:

I represent *Mississippi Today* regarding your July 24, 2023 demand for retraction on behalf of your client, The Honorable Phil Bryant, 64th governor of the State of Mississippi.

I have considered your factual and legal analysis and disagree with you.

The August 11, 2022 and May 8, 2023 *Mississippi Today* publications are true, and consequently there is nothing to be retracted or corrected.

Sincerely,
Henry Laird

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