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**REP. HINTZ: STATEMENT ON THE PASSING OF FORMER WISCONSIN  
SUPREME COURT CHIEF JUSTICE SHIRLEY ABRAHAMSON**

MADISON – Assembly Democratic Leader Gordon Hintz (D-Oshkosh) released the following statement on the passing of Justice Abrahamson:

“Wisconsin mourns the passing of Justice Shirley Abrahamson. Throughout her career Justice Abrahamson broke down barrier after barrier, leaving behind a legacy of progress. For all of her brilliance as a jurist, I was always struck by her accessibility as a person, and her advocacy on the importance of our judicial system.

“During her time as Chief Justice, our state was looked to as an example of good government and transparency. We can look to Justice Abrahamson’s example when working to restore the principles and dignity of the judiciary. Her legacy will not be forgotten.

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