

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
THE CHIEF JUSTICE

**STATEMENT OF THE COURT REGARDING THE
EXPLOSION IN SIERRA**

I write today on behalf of myself and my Brother Justices JJEaglehawk, Curiosity, BSDDC, Dobs, and Cheatem. We were saddened to learn this morning of the [tragic oil refinery explosion](#) in the state of Sierra, and the injuries to our Brother Justice [Ibney's niece, Lucy](#), and to [Judge/Justice Space of the Lincoln Supreme Court's kitten, Kitty](#), which were sustained in the explosion.

Our thoughts are with Lucy, Kitty, Justice Ibney, Judge/Justice Space, and all who suffered injuries, property damage, or were otherwise impacted by the explosion. As he announced in his press conference, Justice Ibney will be taking a short leave from the Court to be with his wife and niece. We are happy to hear that Lucy is doing well, and that it appears there was no loss of life.

We look forward to Lucy, Kitty, and all who were injured making quick and full recoveries, and to the return of our Brother Justice.

Yours in Justice,



CHIEF JUSTICE