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Mr Villu Kõve  
Chief Justice  
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Dear Chief Justice,

Allow me to take this opportunity to inform you that on 19 March the terms of office of my colleagues, Justices Daiva Petrylaitė and Janina Stripeikienė, as well as my own term of office, will come to an end. On that day, it is expected that three newly appointed justices will take the oath before the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania and, in accordance with the Constitution, one third of the Constitutional Court will be renewed.

Taking this opportunity, I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the long-standing, close and friendly cooperation between our courts. The cooperation between the constitutional justice institutions of our countries has always been – and I am confident will continue to be – excellent and highly valued. I have personally greatly appreciated our professional dialogue and the spirit of mutual trust.

I would also like to underline how much I have valued the trilateral format of cooperation among the constitutional justice institutions of the Baltic States, which has provided an important platform for meaningful exchange and strengthened the ties between our courts.

Availing myself of this opportunity, I extend to you, dear Chief Justice, and to all Justices of the Supreme Court of Estonia, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Gintaras Goda