HISPANIC ALLIANCE OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

(AN ALLIANCE OF 18 HISPANIC ORGANIZATIONS)

June 19, 2025

Senator Chuck Grassley Chair, Judiciary Committee; and Senator Dick Durbin Ranking Member, Judiciary Committee

c/o U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee 224 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

Re: Judge Ed Artau Nomination to serve as U.S. District Judge

Dear Senators Grassley and Durbin:

I am writing this letter as the past President of the Hispanic Alliance of Palm Beach County, an alliance which had 18 different Hispanic Organizations with Hispanic American members when I was its President. We write to strongly support the nomination of Judge Ed Artau by the President to serve as a U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Florida.

Judge Ed Artau is highly qualified, having served our community well as one of our few Hispanic American Judges, first as a highly regarded trial judge on the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit Court, and then as a distinguished appellate judge on the Fourth District Court of Appeal. We strongly believe that Judge Ed Artau is a judge of great integrity and commitment to the rule of law, who merits confirmation by the United States Senate to serve as a U.S. District Court Judge.

For these reasons, and because Judge Artau is highly qualified, we strongly recommend that you confirm the nomination of Judge Ed Artau to serve as a U.S. District Judge in South Florida. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

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