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VIA EMAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

December 1, 2011

**The Honorable Patrick J. Leahy, Chairman
Committee on the Judiciary
United States Senate
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510**

***Re: Nomination of Robert J. Shelby
To the United States District Court for the District of Utah***

Dear Chairman Leahy:

The ABA Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary has completed its evaluation of the professional qualifications of Robert J. Shelby who has been nominated for a position on the United States District Court for the District of Utah. As a result of our investigation, the Committee is of the unanimous opinion that Mr. Shelby is "Qualified" for this position.

A copy of this letter has been provided to Mr. Shelby.

Sincerely,



**Allan J. Joseph
Chair**

**cc: Robert J. Shelby, Esq.
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