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VIA EMAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

September 15, 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 David Guaderrama
To the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas***

Dear Chairman Leahy:

The ABA Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary has completed its evaluation of the professional qualifications of David Guaderrama who has been nominated to the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas. As a result of our investigation, a Substantial Majority of the Committee is of the opinion that Magistrate Judge Guaderrama is "Well Qualified." A Minority of the Committee is of the opinion that Magistrate Judge Guaderrama is "Qualified" for this position.

A copy of this letter has been provided to David Guaderrama.

Sincerely,



Allan J. Joseph
Chair

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