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VIA EMAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

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

**Re: *Nomination of Beverly R. O'Connell
To the United States District Court for the Central District of California***

Dear Chairman Leahy:

The ABA Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary has completed its evaluation of the professional qualifications of Beverly R. O'Connell who has been nominated for a position on the United States District Court for the Central District of California. As a result of our investigation, the Committee is of the opinion that Judge O'Connell is Unanimously Well Qualified for this position.

A copy of this letter has been provided to Judge O'Connell.

Sincerely,



Judy Perry Martinez
Chair

cc: **Beverly R. O'Connell
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This letter was sent to Honorable Charles E. Grassley, Ranking Member of the Minority Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate, 224 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510-6275 on November 15, 2012.