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March 15, 2013

The Honorable Patrick Leahy
Chairman
Committee on the Judiciary
U.S. Senate
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Charles Grassley
Ranking Minority Member
Committee on the Judiciary
U.S. Senate
152 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Re: Nomination of Ms. Karol Virginia Mason as Assistant Attorney General, Justice Programs

Dear Chairman Leahy and Ranking Minority Member Grassley:

The Nooksack Indian Tribe supports the nomination of Ms. Karol Virginia Mason as the new Assistant Attorney General for Justice Programs in the Department of Justice (DOJ). Ms. Mason recognizes and understands our concern for the welfare of our people and has worked with American Indians and Alaska Natives while serving as the former Deputy Associate Attorney General.

It is the recommendation of the Nooksack Indian Tribe that you approve the appointment of Ms. Mason to Assistant Attorney General for Justice Programs. We believe her experience and knowledge will be an asset to the cadre of Assistant Attorneys General at the Department of Justice.

Sincerely,

Bob Kelly, Chairman
Nooksack Indian Tribe