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The Honorable Charles Grassley
Chairman
Committee on the Judiciary
152 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Patrick Leahy
Ranking Member
Committee on the Judiciary
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Grassley and Ranking Member Leahy:

In my capacity as the National President of the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association (FLEOA), I am writing to you to convey our full support for the Honorable Loretta Lynch as the next Attorney General of the United States.

Ms. Lynch is currently serving a commendable second tour of duty as the United States Attorney in the Eastern District of New York. FLEOA stands behind her proven leadership and her support for those who investigate and enforce the federal statutes. She has done a remarkable job as the lead prosecutor overseeing a challenging judicial district that would never be mischaracterized as a "soft ground ball."

In 2011, Ms. Lynch was selected as the FLEOA Foundation's Law Enforcement Honoree of the Year. Her accomplishments and her leadership continue to resonate in the law enforcement community, and she possesses the requisite institutional knowledge that is required of the position of Attorney General.

After the President announced his nomination of Ms. Lynch, I stated, "In light of the turbulent climate confronting law enforcement, we need a strong leader like U.S. Attorney Lynch to bring a calm, well-informed perspective to the Attorney General position. Knowing U.S. Attorney Lynch's fine character and judicial talents, I foresee her balancing her title with equal strength both as our nation's lead Attorney and as our legal General."

The Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association (www.fleoa.org) is the largest nonprofit, nonpartisan professional association that exclusively represents over 26,000 active and retired federal law enforcement officers from over 65 Agencies.

Respectfully,

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