



January 27, 2015

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

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

Re: Nomination of Loretta Lynch

Dear Chairman Grassley and Ranking Member Leahy:

On behalf of the FBI Agents Association ("FBIAA"), a voluntary professional association representing over 12,000 active duty and retired FBI Special Agents, I write to express the FBIAA's support for the confirmation of Loretta Lynch to serve as the next Attorney General of the United States.

While serving as the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, Ms. Lynch has worked closely with FBI Special Agents to prosecute important cases involving terrorism, violent crime, and corruption. The FBIAA believes that Ms. Lynch's reputation and record as a prosecutor speaks to her ability to be an effective Attorney General. We believe she will be a strong leader and ally to the Bureau and all federal law enforcement agencies fighting against the criminal and terrorist threats facing our country.

The FBIAA hopes to meet with Ms. Lynch soon, and greatly appreciates your consideration of the opinions of Special Agents regarding Ms. Lynch's nomination.

Sincerely,

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President

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