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September 23, 2013

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

The Honorable Charles E. Grassley  
Ranking Minority Member, Committee on the Judiciary  
United States Senate  
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building  
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Dear Chairman Leahy and Ranking Member Grassley:

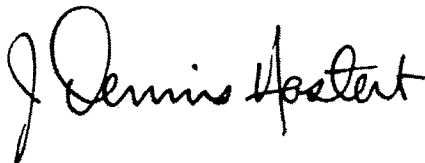
We respectfully write to express our strong support for the confirmation of our former colleague, Peter Joseph Kadzik, to serve as the Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Legislative Affairs in the United State Department of Justice.

Prior to beginning his service at the Department of Justice, Peter had a long and distinguished career as an accomplished attorney at Dickstein Shapiro, LLP. We have had the honor and privilege to work closely with Peter for a combined 20 years at Dickstein Shapiro, and hold him in the highest regard.

Peter has demonstrated great legal talent and sound judgment during his 33 years at our law firm. Through his stellar legal work, unwavering commitment to pro bono matters, and consistent service on non-profit boards, Peter has gained great respect in the community for his honesty, fairness, and intellect.

We have no doubt that Peter will serve the United States Department of Justice with professionalism and integrity. He will continue to utilize sound legal judgment, respect for the rule of law, and stellar leadership and managerial skills to ensure the Office of Legislative Affairs upholds its duty to the American people. We give Peter Kadzik our highest recommendation.

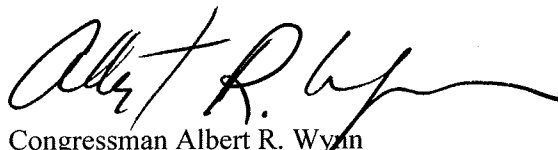
Sincerely,



Speaker J. Dennis Hastert



Senator Tim Hutchinson



Congressman Albert R. Wynn