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The Honorable Charles E. Grassley
Chairman, Judiciary Committee
United States Senate
135 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Diane Feinstein
Ranking Member, Judiciary Committee
United States Senate
331 Hart Senate Office Building
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Dear Senators Grassley and Feinstein:

On behalf of the more than 100,000 members of the International Union of Police Associations, AFL-CIO, I am proud to offer our support of Mr. William P. Barr as this nation's next Attorney General.

Mr. Barr has served honorably in this position from 1991-93. During that time he proved himself a real leader in combating violent crime, from his handling of the Talladega Prison Riot and hostage taking, to his war on gang violence that has victimized entire communities.

While his prior nomination was without a lot of controversy, we both fear and expect that these hearings will become a parochial sideshow reflecting today's political realities.

While we will miss the unwavering support and leadership of General Sessions; we wholeheartedly support Mr. Barr's nomination and look forward to his confirmation.

Very Respectfully,

Sam A. Cabral
International President