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Dr. Hector Garcia
1315 Bright
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Dear Dr. Garcia:

We have learned that Chief Justice Paul W. Nye of the Court of Civil Appeals, Thirteenth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, is being considered for nomination to a judgeship on the United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit.

Members of our firm have known Chief Justice Paul W. Nye for many years as a practicing attorney and, later, as a judge. In both of these capacities, Chief Justice Nye has enjoyed the respect of his fellow members of the bar for his outstanding abilities as a trial lawyer and as a judge.

We sincerely believe that Chief Justice Nye would be an outstanding choice for the nomination to the judgeship on the United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit, and we would appreciate your support of Chief Justice Nye for that nomination.

Sincerely,

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& SMITH, ATTORNEYS

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