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The Honorable Howell Heflin  
United States Senate  
728 Hart Building  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Heflin:

On behalf of the Alabama Sheriffs Association, I would like to ask you to vote to confirm Judge Clarence Thomas to the United States Supreme Court.

At a recent meeting, the Sheriffs of Alabama voted unanimously to support Judge Thomas's nomination to the United States Supreme Court. A resolution was passed by the Alabama Sheriffs Association directing me to write a letter requesting your support of Judge Thomas's nomination.

After careful consideration of Judge Thomas's record and views in the areas of law enforcement, we feel that Judge Thomas would be an excellent candidate to serve on our Nation's highest court. We hope that you share our views and will make a strong stand to assure Judge Thomas's appointment as a United States Supreme Court Justice.

We appreciate your support in the past on matters of concern to the Sheriffs of Alabama. Thank you for considering this request.

Sincerely,

Mike Blakely  
President  
Alabama Sheriffs Association

*"No Sheriff Shall Stand Alone"*