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March 9, 2017

Via Email

Donald F. McGahn, II
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Re: Nomination of Judge Neil M. Gorsuch
to the United States Supreme Court

Dear Mr. McGahn:

The ABA Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary has completed its evaluation of the professional qualifications of Judge Neil M. Gorsuch, whom the President has nominated to the United States Supreme Court. As you know, the Committee confines its evaluation to the qualities of integrity, professional competence, and judicial demeanor. After an exhaustive evaluation process, the Committee has determined by unanimous vote that Judge Gorsuch is **"Well-Qualified"** for the position of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

By separate letter, I have notified Chairman Grassley and Ranking Member Feinstein of the Committee's rating.

By a copy of this letter, Judge Gorsuch has been advised of this rating.

Respectfully,



Nancy Scott Degan

cc: The Honorable Neil M. Gorsuch (*via email and U.S. Mail*)
Christopher Grieco, Associate Counsel, Office of White House Counsel (*via email*)
Lola A. Kingo, Senior Nominations Counsel, Department of Justice Office of Legal Policy (*via email*)
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