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January 4, 2006

The Honorable Arlen Specter
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United States Senate
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Re: Honorable Samuel A. Alito, Jr.
Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court

Dear Senator Specter:

By this letter we transmit for your consideration this Committee's evaluation pertaining to the nomination of **Judge Samuel A. Alito, Jr.** as **Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.**

It is a pleasure to report that as a result of our investigation, the Committee is of the unanimous opinion that **Judge Samuel A. Alito, Jr.** is **Well Qualified** for appointment as **Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court**. There was one recusal.

A copy of this letter has been sent to Judge Alito for his information.

Yours very truly,

Stephen L. Tober
Chair

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