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Honorable Barack Obama
President-elect, United States of America
c/o David Ogden
Presidential Transition Team
Washington, DC 20270

RE: Nomination of Eric Holder to be Attorney General of the United States

Dear President-elect Obama:

Your nomination of Eric Holder to serve as Attorney General of the United States has met with great enthusiasm among professionals who serve and assist victims and survivors of crime. Appriss, Inc. is pleased to join our colleagues in strongly supporting this nomination.

Throughout his justice career, Mr. Holder has paid close attention to the rights and needs of crime victims. As the main provider of Victim Information and Notification (VINE) services, Statewide Automated Victim Information and Notification (SAVIN) services, and the Federal Victim Notification System (VNS), Appriss appreciates his longstanding understanding of and commitment to the critical victims' rights of information and notification. We know he will be a strong supporter of ongoing efforts of the U.S. Department of Justice to ensure that victims are informed about their cases, and notified about the status and location of their offenders.

Eric Holder is a well-respected justice practitioner, and a nationally-recognized leader and visionary in justice- and victim-related issues. He will serve you, our Nation, and crime victims and survivors well in his tenure as Attorney General of the United States.

Thank you for considering Appriss' recommendation for Eric Holder. If you need further information, please contact me at (502) 417-2460.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas R. Seigle", written over a white background.

Thomas R. Seigle
Executive Vice President
Public Safety Group