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The Honorable Senator Jon Ossoff
Senate Committee on the Judiciary United States Senate
Washington DC 20510

Re: Letter of Support for Nomination of Sarah Geraghty to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia

Dear Senator Ossoff:

I write this letter in support of Sarah Geraghty's nomination to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia. I first met Ms. Geraghty when I served as opposing counsel in a case before the Northern District Court and truly admired her professionalism, legal acumen, poise, experience, and knowledge of the law throughout our litigation. Although Ms. Geraghty and I served on opposite sides of the aisle, she remained respectful, candid, and continued to reach out and work with us to reach a mutual understanding in a very difficult and emotional case. Moreover, Ms. Geraghty's temperament, with all parties, was truly admirable and reflects an important characteristic that all Judges should possess. It was awe-inspiring to witness Ms. Geraghty and I am appreciative of the fact that I had the opportunity to collaborate with her even when it was difficult to reach common ground.

And it was through this experience that I am confident that confirming Sarah Geraghty to the United States District Court will ensure the life experiences of all people in America are better represented on this vital federal court. She will bring a fair, balanced, and equitable perspective to the federal judicial system. Ms. Geraghty's professional experience has prepared her for this lifetime commitment to fairness, justice, and impartiality as she serves our Country. I believe that her range of balanced experience, as a lawyer, reputation for professionalism and integrity, and record of leadership demonstrates her clear qualification for service on the federal bench.

Ms. Geraghty has demonstrated a deep commitment to the preservation of civil rights for all. Her nomination reflects President Biden's commitment to appoint highly qualified judges who are committed to protecting the rights of people and who, if confirmed, would bring a strong commitment to equal justice under the law as she has demonstrated throughout her professional career. Ms. Geraghty's professional and lived experiences will serve to make our federal judicial system more balanced and just.

I support the nomination of Sarah Geraghty and urge her swift confirmation to the Northern District of Georgia.

Sincerely,

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