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Senator David Perdue United States Senator 383 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

RE: Nomination of Mr. Dax Eric Lopez to serve as a United States District Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia

Senator Perdue,

I write today to voice my concern and that of many of my constituents in Cobb County. I have received a significant amount of correspondence from citizens from my House District 44 and from throughout Cobb County who oppose the recent nomination by President Obama of Mr. Dax Eric Lopez to serve as a United States District Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia.

It is my understanding that Mr. Lopez is a longtime director of the Georgia Association of Latino Elected Officials (GALEO). Furthermore, It is my understanding that GALEO:

- Supports amnesty for illegal aliens
- GALEO joined other activist groups marching in Atlanta demanding an end to enforcement of American immigration laws
- Fought the state voter identification law
- Supports in-state tuition for illegal aliens
- Opposed passage of the 2011 Illegal Immigration Reform and Enforcement Act (which passed both houses of the General Assembly by large majorities).
- Lobbied against Georgia sheriffs' cooperation with federal immigration control officials, and commended the Fulton County sheriff for not cooperating with immigration and Control Enforcement officials.

On behalf of the Georgians that I represent in the Georgia General Assembly, I ask that you oppose the nomination by President Obama of Mr. Dax Eric Lopez to serve as a United States District Judge of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia.

Sincerely,

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