

CONGRESSIONAL HISPANIC CAUCUS 118TH Congress

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The Honorable Hakeem Jeffries Democratic Leader U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Katherine Clark Democratic Whip U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Pete Aguilar Democratic Chair U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Jerrold Nadler Ranking Member House Committee on the Judiciary U.S. House of Representatives

Dear Democratic Leaders and Ranking Member Nadler,

We, the Executive Committee of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus (CHC), write to express our strong support for Representative J. Luis Correa (CA-46) to serve as the next Ranking Member of the Judiciary Committee's Subcommittee on Administrative State, Regulatory Reform, and Antitrust. This position was left vacant by the resignation of Congressman David Cicilline (RI-01).

Rep. Correa is a reliable and active Member of CHC, and he has served as a strong and enthusiastic Member on the House Judiciary Committee. He has fought hard for the working-class communities that make up his district and delivered reforms to meet their needs.

His previous professions as a banker, attorney, and real estate broker exposed him to bankruptcy and commercial law and the impacts on everyday people looking to make their own American Dream. During his time with the California State Legislature, he chaired the Assembly Committee on Business and Professions, the Public Employees, Retirement and Social Security Committee as well as the Select Committee on Mobile Homes. He also chaired the California

State Senate Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions, in addition to the Committee on Governmental Organization. This extensive personal and professional experience makes Rep. Correa an excellent choice to be Ranking Member.

As the highest-ranking Latino on the Judiciary Committee, we believe that Rep. Correa would make an excellent Ranking Member of the Subcommittee on Administrative State, Regulatory Reform, and Antitrust, and we appreciate your consideration of this request.

Only two Members of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus currently serve on the Judiciary Committee, even though many of the issues that it covers disproportionately impact Latino communities. Elevating Congressman Correa to Ranking Member would help ensure that the voices of the largest ethnic minority in the country would be well represented on some of the issues that matter most to them.

We look forward to a favorable response.

Respectfully,

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