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Executive and Legislative Nominations Committee
Legislative Office Building – Room 1000
Hartford, CT 06106

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in reference to Attorney Anna M. Ficeto's appointment as Commissioner of the Department of Public Utility Control.

I first met Attorney Ficeto in December 2006 when I agreed to serve as Deputy Counsel for Governor Rell. I worked with Anna until February 2008, and I continue to work with her, on occasion, in my capacity as President and CEO of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation.

Anna Ficeto and I worked on numerous legal issues together during this time period. Anna has a thorough knowledge of the law, particularly laws related to the State of Connecticut. Her analytical skills are excellent. Anna approaches legal problems and develops solutions, not only with any eye toward the correct legal answer, but also with practicality and wisdom. Her judgment is unparalleled, and she is fair and impartial. Anna carefully weighs the variety of options available and assesses and develops a course of action that is appropriate to the circumstances.

Perhaps most importantly, Anna Ficeto's commitment to integrity is commendable. I have found Anna's character beyond reproach. She is honest, candid, discreet, and professional.

I have found Anna to be, in my dealings with her for over three years, a warm and caring person. She is dedicated both to her colleagues and to her family, as well as the community.

Should you have any questions, kindly contact me at (860) 713-2815.

Very truly yours,

Anne M. Noble
President and CEO

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