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Legislature of the United States Virgin Islands 3022 Estate Golden Rock Christiansted, St. Croix 00820

TO: Senator Diane T. Capehart RE: Nomination of Mrs. Carol Thomas-Jacobs, Esq.

Dear Senator Capehart:

This recommendation letter is written on behalf of Attorney Carol Thomas-Jacobs. I have had the pleasure of knowing Attorney Thomas-Jacobs for the past 14 years. She served as an Ethics Trainer for the Center for the Study of Spirituality and Professionalism at the University of the Virgin Islands and lead the workshops covering topics related to Workplace Ethics, Ethical Boundaries, Confidentiality, and Social Responsibility, just to name a few. The workshops were always informative and engaging and included lecture sessions followed by group activities to ensure learning occurred. She also provided exemplary service in teaching for the Certified Public Manager Program at the University where she provided instruction to students to help them identify potential ethical problems and conflicts of interest, understand appropriate workplace behavior, and ensure legal and policy compliance. At the Virgin Islands Bureau of Corrections, I have had the distinct honor of working with Attorney Thomas-Jacobs where she provided oversight for the consent decrees.

Attorney Thomas-Jacobs has always displayed excellent leadership and management skills and continues to maintain a steadfast commitment to maintaining high ethics and moral standards in all aspects of her work. She is noted for her loyalty and superior job performance and has always exemplified strong professional and interpersonal abilities. One thing that has remained constant is her dedication to her work, family, and community. No favor is too big or distance too far for her to travel. I have found her to be a dependable, equitable, and compassionate leader who takes pride in completing tasks and helping others to build character through leadership and service excellence. She displays attributes of cooperativeness, responsibility, integrity, multiple intelligences, adaptability, and consistency in performance.



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Attorney Thomas-Jacobs will bring with her a wealth of knowledge, experience, and resources and I am confident that she will continue to be an asset to the judicial system and the Virgin Islands community by sharing and contributing to the mission and vision of this Government. I strongly support Attorney Carol Thomas-Jacobs nomination to the Superior Court of the Virgin Islands for the District of St. Thomas. With all of life's journeys and unexpected turns, I am proud to call her my friend and colleague. She reminds us all of how to live a life of substance, purpose, and grace. Should you require any additional information, feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Wendy V. Coram Vialet, ND BOC Training Administrator