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OFFICE OF THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

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Dear Senator:

On behalf of the 600,000 active and retired members of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers (IAM), I urge your <u>full support</u> of President Biden's nomination of Julie Su as Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor.

Julie Su has proven time and time again to be a strong champion of the American workforce. This includes her service as Deputy U.S. Labor Secretary, collaborating with former U.S. Labor Secretary Marty Walsh to produce historic job growth and ensuring the nation's workforce has skillsets for the tasks of today and the future.

Confirming Julie Su to lead DOL would build on the agency's many successes. I'm confident she will hit the ground running to continue measures that will improve the lives of hard-working Americans and their families.

As I said when Julie Su was nominated for Deputy U.S. Labor Secretary in 2021, her career as a highly respected workers' rights attorney is filled with examples of fighting for those who do not have powerful corporate lobbyists by their side. We need that type of leadership today. We need someone leading the DOL to ensure fairness and safety in the workplace, and I know Julie Su will prove to be the right person for the job.

As a staunch advocate for the American workforce, the IAM appreciates the opportunity to work with strong government leaders who know how to help grow the economy and promote good-paying jobs from coast-to-coast. That person is Julie Su.

Again-I urge your full support on the nomination of Julie Su as Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor.

If you have any questions, please contact IAM National Legislative and Political Director Hasan Solomon at 301-967-4575 or hsolomon@iamaw.org.

Sincerely,

Robert Martinez, Jr. International President