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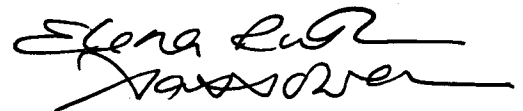
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Enclosed is my letter of today's date to Barbara Reed, Director of the Constitution Project's Courts Initiative -- to which you are each indicated recipients. The letter requests to meet with you -- either collectively or individually -- on Wednesday, September 17th, or Thursday, September 18th, to discuss the primary source documents underlying CJA's enclosed June 16, 2003 memo -- and, based thereon, to develop an action agenda to advance the unimplemented non-partisan, good-government recommendations for reform of the federal judicial confirmation process, long ago made by The Ralph Nader Congress Project (1975), Common Cause (1986), and the Twentieth Century Fund Task Force on Judicial Selection (1988).

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