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FROM:

Dear Mr. Strasser:

Welcome to your new job! We believe we have an enormously exciting--and important--story for you to begin with.

This is a story about how the "Clarence Thomas hearings" galvanized an unfunded grass-roots citizens' group, the Ninth Judicial Committee, to begin tracking a federal judicial nomination--and with what results.

Enclosed is a copy of the "Intelligencer" page from the June 22nd issue of New York magazine (p. 7). The lead piece, "The Case of the Missing Cases" is based upon the critique we submitted to the Senate Judiciary Committee.

As evidenced by our May 18th letter to Senate Majority Leader Mitchell, Andrew O'Rourke is "small fish" in this story. The real issue is the abysmal failure of the screening process which our critique documents.

*Elena Ruth
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