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June 28, 2005

Hon. Elaine Alquist, Chair
Senate Public Safety Committee
State Capitol, Room 4088
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1595 (Evans), as amended June 23, 2005 - Support
Hearing: Senate Public Safety Committee – July 5, 2005

Dear Senator Alquist:

The Judicial Council supports AB 1595, which prohibits a person, business, or association from posting or displaying on the Internet the home address or telephone number of any elected or appointed official if that official has made a written demand of that person, business, or association to not disclose his or her home address or telephone number, or from soliciting the home address or telephone number of an elected or appointed official for the purpose of violating the provisions.

Increased ability to access home address information poses a threat to judges and other public safety officials and their families. An independent judiciary depends on a judge being able to make decisions free from fear of retribution. This bill would provide public safety officials with an important tool to assist in protecting their family's privacy and safety.

For these reasons, the Judicial Council supports AB 1595.

Sincerely,



June Clark
Senior Attorney

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cc: Members, Senate Public Safety Committee
Hon. Noreen Evans, Member of the Assembly
Ms. Mary Kennedy, Counsel, Senate Public Safety Committee
Mr. Cory Salzillo, Consultant, Senate Republican Office of Policy
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September 9, 2005

Hon. Arnold Schwarzenegger
Governor of California
State Capitol, First Floor
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1595 (Evans) – Request for Signature

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The Judicial Council supports AB 1595, which prohibits a person, business, or association from posting or displaying on the Internet the home address or telephone number of any elected or appointed official if that official has made a written demand of that person, business, or association to not disclose his or her home address or telephone number, or from soliciting the home address or telephone number of an elected or appointed official for the purpose of violating the provisions.

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For these reasons, the Judicial Council requests your signature AB 1595.

Sincerely,



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cc: Hon. Noreen Evans, Member of Assembly
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March 25, 2005

Honorable Noreen Evans
Member of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 6025
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1595 (Evans), as introduced - Support


Dear Assembly Member Evans:

The Judicial Council supports AB 1595, which prohibits a person, business, or association from selling or trading for value on the Internet the home address or telephone number of any elected or appointed official if that official has made a written demand of that person, business, or association to not disclose his or her home address or telephone number.

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June 7, 2005

Hon. Joseph Dunn, Chair
Senate Judiciary Committee
State Capitol, Room 2080
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1595 (Evans), as amended May 16, 2005 - Support
Hearing: Senate Judiciary Committee – June 14, 2005

Dear Senator Dunn:

The Judicial Council supports AB 1595, which prohibits a person, business, or association from selling or trading for value on the Internet the home address or telephone number of any elected or appointed official if that official has made a written demand of that person, business, or association to not disclose his or her home address or telephone number.

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April 1, 2005

Honorable Mark Leno, Chair
Assembly Public Safety Committee
State Capitol, Room 3146
Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 1595, as introduced - Support
Hearing: Assembly Public Safety Committee – April 12, 2005

Dear Assembly Member Leno:

The Judicial Council supports AB 1595, which prohibits a person, business, or association from selling or trading for value on the Internet the home address or telephone number of any elected or appointed official if that official has made a written demand of that person, business, or association to not disclose his or her home address or telephone number.

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