

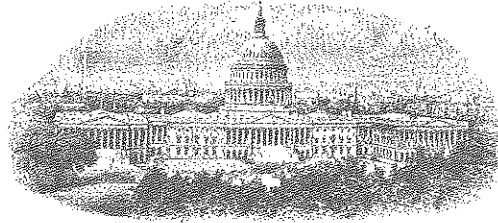
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

I am writing to congratulate you on receiving the AV Preeminent Rating with Martindale-Hubbell for the 18th straight year. Your many years of honorable service to our profession make you an excellent choice for this distinction. Your devotion to the fair and equal practice of law throughout your career is a testament to the health of the American legal system. I am delighted to join your family, friends and colleagues in celebrating this fine achievement.

While I'm sure this is just one of many notable accomplishments in your life, for your firm, I know it is one you will especially cherish, as it is a sign of the high regard in which you are held by your fellow members of the legal profession. You are an excellent role model, the kind of person to whom everyone can point with respect and admiration. Congratulations again, Mr. Johnson. I'm very proud of you!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alcee L. Hastings".

Alcee L. Hastings
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