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October 30, 2019

M. Kirkland Cox
Speaker
Virginia House of Delegates
Pocahontas Building
Room E605
900 E. Main Street
Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Speaker Cox:

This is to urge you to support ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution by the Virginia General Assembly. The American College of Radiology (ACR) is headquartered in Reston, Virginia and has several hundred employees in the Commonwealth. ACR represents nearly 40,000 diagnostic radiologists, radiation oncologists, interventional radiologists, nuclear medicine physicians and medical physicists, and is dedicated to equal rights for all Americans, including our patients, members and employees. ACR specifically supports constitutional equality for women, and values the contributions and benefits of a diverse workforce.

Thirty-seven states have now ratified the proposed amendment. As we approach the 2020 Centennial Anniversary of the 19th Amendment, recognizing women's right to vote, ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment will be an historic step forward for the rights of over 162 million American women. The Virginia General Assembly, the oldest continuous law-making body in the New World, should be proud to provide the required thirty-eighth vote to complete ratification.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Senator Janet D. Howell
32nd District
Senate of Virginia
Pocahontas Building
Room E509
P.O. Box 396
Richmond, VA 23218

Dear Senator Howell:

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Delegate Kenneth R. Plum
36th District
Virginia House of Delegates
Pocahontas Building
Room 207-E
900 E. Main Street
Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Delegate Plum:

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Ralph Northam
Governor
Commonwealth of Virginia
P. O. Box 1475
Richmond, VA 23218

Dear Governor Northam:

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Justin E. Fairfax
President
Senate of Virginia
P.O. Box 1195
Richmond, VA 23218

Dear President Fairfax:

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