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**NFALA CELEBRATES THE CONFIRMATION OF JUDGE KETANJI BROWN JACKSON
TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT**

SEATTLE, WA – Today, the U.S. Senate confirmed Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court. Judge Jackson will be the first Black woman to serve on the Court.

"NFALA congratulates Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson on her historic confirmation as the next Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court. Not only is Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson a brilliant and exceptionally qualified legal scholar that we need and deserve to be serving on the highest court of the United States, but we also celebrate how she will be an inspiration to many, as the first Black woman and first public defender to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court." said Jeri Gonzales Abrams, president of the National Filipino American Lawyers Association (NFALA).

"NFALA applauds and appreciates President Biden and Vice President Harris for their commitment to diversifying the judiciary, where such diversity increases the opportunities for fairness and equity of the legal system to all, especially to underrepresented and underserved communities, including our Filipino-American community. NFALA looks forward to Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson's exceptional service to the U.S. Supreme Court for many years to come."

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