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Letter from Senator Harry Reid, Senate Majority Leader

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To the Moritz College of Law and the Ohio State Law Journal:

It is with great honor that I join the Ohio State Law Journal Symposium in marking Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg's fifteenth anniversary on the Supreme Court of the United States.

This year's Ohio State Law Journal Symposium, "The Jurisprudence of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg: A Discussion of Fifteen Years on the U.S. Supreme Court," is a well-deserved recognition of one of our nation's truly great jurists.

Prior to becoming a judge, Justice Ginsburg used her strategic legal mind and keen intellect to help transform the legal landscape with respect to civil rights and equality in this country. Since her appointment to the Supreme Court by President Bill Clinton in 1993, she has served with remarkable distinction on the highest Court in the land.

With her commitment to the Constitution and to equal rights, she is a tremendous role model for all those who aspire to engage in the legal profession. Justice Ginsburg brings an important perspective to the Court; ours is truly a better nation because of her lifelong commitment to justice, equality, and fairness for all.

I would like to congratulate Justice Ginsburg on her historic, distinguished, and outstanding legal career. In addition, I want to commend the Ohio State Law Journal and the Moritz College of Law for the Law Journal's 2009 Symposium acknowledging Justice Ginsburg's place in American legal history.

Sincerely,

HARRY REID
Senate Majority Leader