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CHAMBER STATEMENT ON APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY OF STATE ALEX PADILLA AS CALIFORNIA'S NEXT SENATOR

SAN DIEGO (December 22, 2020) – The San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce released the following statement from President and CEO Jerry Sanders regarding Governor Newsom’s announcement that he has selected Secretary of State Alex Padilla to be California’s next United States Senator:

“The San Diego Regional Chamber welcomes Secretary of State Alex Padilla as our next U.S. Senator. With roots in Southern California, his appointment is a significant opportunity for San Diego to be well represented by someone who has a deep understanding of the dynamics in this part of the state. We look forward to working with Secretary Padilla to advance the goals of the business community in our binational region.”

About the San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce

The San Diego Regional Chamber is the hub for connections and collaboration among the regional business community, and uses that clout to advocate for public policies and candidates that support economic growth and the creation of jobs for all businesses. As the largest local Chamber on the West Coast, representing approximately 2,500 businesses and an estimated 300,000 jobs, the San Diego Regional Chamber is working to make the San Diego region the best place to live and work. For more information, please visit SDChamber.org or call 619-544-1300.

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