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Latino Leaders Announce Their First Set of Endorsements for the 2006 Elections

– TLC Endorses Congressman Gibbons and Governor Napolitano –

Washington, D.C. – The Board of Directors of The Latino Coalition (TLC) today announced they will support the election of Congressman Jim Gibbons as the next Governor of Nevada, and the re-election of Governor Janet Napolitano in Arizona. The endorsements, which gathered the support of a majority of the members of Board, are the first sets of endorsements from The Latino Coalition during this election cycle.

“After a careful review of the overall record throughout their career in public service, and after speaking to many of our members in the State of Nevada and Arizona, our Board has decided that both of these leaders would not only be a great leader of their important states, but they are also officials who understands the importance of the Latino community and the many benefits this community brings to their states,” said TLC President Robert Deposada. “Both of them will serve as a bridge to unite all the people of Nevada and Arizona seeking a growing economy with better job opportunities, a good education for their children, quality and affordable health care and an environment of tolerance and understanding.”

The Latino Coalition is a non-profit, non-partisan organization based in Washington, D.C. TLC was established to address policy issues that directly affect the well-being of Hispanics in the United States. TLC’s agenda is to develop and promote policies that will foster economic equivalency and enhance overall business, economic, and social development of Hispanics. For more information, or to download the complete report, please visit our website at www.TheLatinoCoalition.com.

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