

the office is for a subdivision, list the district, ward, or area for such offices. (i.e. State Senate, Alderman, or RTM's.) For statewide Offices such as Governor, Lt. Governor and Secretary of the State insert "State of Connecticut." You must be specific in indicating this information also. As indicated on form ED-601, you may attach additional pages of this form. ► **(Names/Complete Addresses)** Insert the names and addresses of two individuals that will be responsible for submitting the required *Statement of Endorsement* to the Secretary of the State. Please type or print clearly. ► **(Members of Party Designation committee)** The names and addresses of at least twenty-five electors must be indicated here after completion of the reverse side. At least one individual able to vote for each office or political subdivision indicated on the reverse of Form ED-601 must sign. ► **(Towns and/or District or Political subdivisions)** If there are offices listed that are not town-wide, such as State Senate, Alderman or RTM's, the signer must indicate their district, ward or area numbers here. This form must be submitted to the Secretary of the State either prior to or with Form ED-602b "Application for Nominating Petition."

Sample of the Statement of Endorsement

There is no prescribed form for the *Statement of Endorsement*. It is a letter created by the two individuals listed on Form ED-601. This letter states the approval of candidates seeking an office under the new party designation. If a candidate submits a Nominating Petition with a party name and there is no *Statement of Endorsement* received by the statutory deadline, such candidate will not appear on the ballot. Deadlines are indicated on the Application for Nominating Petition, ED-602b and Instruction Page for Nominating Petitions, ED-607. Signatures on the *Statement of Endorsement* must be original; therefore faxed statements do not satisfy the statutory requirement.

August 2, 2003

Secretary of the State
30 Trinity Street
Hartford, CT 06106

Attn: Elections Division

We the authorized agents for the "Purple Party" hereby endorse the following candidates to appear on the November 4, 2003 ballot under such party name.

James S. Smith Mayor
4 Main Street
Hartford, CT 06103

Sally A. Jones Town Clerk
12 West Avenue
Hartford, CT 06103

Fred L. Doe Councilmen
100 Xavier Road
Hartford, CT 06103

Sincerely
Authorized Agents
Purple Party

Robert A. Fletcher George C. Wellington

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ORDER TO RECEIVE YOUR PETITIONS IN PERSON
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