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IN MEMORIAM
DAVID BEN NEWSTADT

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HONORABLE JUDGES OF THIS COURT; MR. PRESIDENT;
MEMBERS OF THE BAR; LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The task assigned to us of preparing a memoriam for David Ben Newstadt was indeed an honor and especially easy, because so many of his friends and associates with whom we have conferred expressed spontaneous, sincere praise and affection for this kind and loving man.

David was often referred to affectionately by his close friends as "Shoes" or "New" or "New Shoes," and David's warmth and genuine concern made everyone feel very close to him. He liked people and people liked him. Never have we heard unkind words spoken of him, either professionally or personally.

David Ben Newstadt was born in Shreveport, Louisiana, on June 7, 1936. He was educated at Creswell Elementary School and at Byrd High School. He received his business degree from Tulane University in 1957 and his Juris Doctorate degree from Louisiana State University Law School in 1959. At the time of his death David was associated with Corporate Fringe Benefits, Inc., 2500 Line Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana, specializing in executive compensation, pension and profit-sharing plans. David died on Saturday, March 27, 1982. He was survived by his widow, Mrs. Glynda H. Newstadt, of 619 Sophia Lane, Shreveport, Louisiana; his mother, Mrs. Nelwyn Alexander Newstadt, of 706 Robards Street, Shreveport, Louisiana; two children, Catherine Carter Newstadt and Barbara Ellen Newstadt, of 7409 North West Hunter Road, Lawton, Oklahoma; and three stepchildren, Terri Michaels, Howard Michaels and Christian Michaels, all of 619 Sophia Lane, Shreveport, Louisiana.

From 1959 to 1963 David was engaged in private legal practice with the firm of Schober & Newstadt, Shreveport, Louisiana, specializing mostly in tax-related matters. In 1963 he entered the life insurance field with Lincoln National Life Insurance Company and became Vice President of Executive Pay Plans, Inc. in May of 1963, specializing in

design, installation and communication of pension, profit-sharing and other employee benefit plans. He received his Chartered Life Underwriter designation in September 1965 and was elected President of Louisiana Life Leaders in 1968.

David Newstadt was a kind, sensitive and generous man. His friends from all walks of life were numerous and loyal, because loyalty was his trademark. He never lost his sense of humor even through the long and debilitating last illness which finally took his life.

In the latter years of his professional life, David decided to concentrate his efforts in structuring pension and profit-sharing plans for his corporate and professional clients and in estate planning for his individual clients. As in all other things, David was a dedicated student and in a short time he became an expert in those areas. He rendered his professional services and appeared on numerous panels and seminars throughout the country. His professional expertise and his unquestionable standards of professional and personal ethics were well known and respected.

Above all else, David was a dedicated father, husband and son. There was never any question concerning his priorities. With David, family always came first.

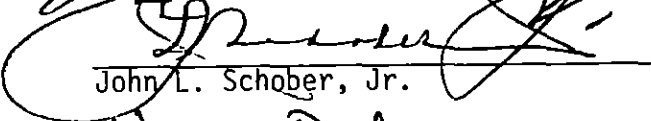
David was taken by death at a relatively early age, but in his few short years he touched many lives. Thus, his loss is felt and mourned, and he will long be remembered by many.


We do now submit this eulogy for David Ben Newstadt to this Honorable Court with sincere appreciation for the honor of serving on the committee.

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