**RESOLUTION OF THE NATIONAL BANKRUPTCY CONFERENCE**

Adopted November 8, 2018

WHEREAS, The Honorable Robert E. Ginsberg was a widely respected jurist and influential voice on the bankruptcy court who passed away on March 17, 2018 after struggling with Parkinson's Disease for over twenty-five years;

WHEREAS, Bob was a graduate of Brown University, the American University Washington College of Law, and Harvard Law School;

WHEREAS, Bob served as a Trial Attorney and Special Counsel with the Securities and Exchange Commission, followed by nine years as a law professor at DePaul University College of Law, teaching and studying bankruptcy, contracts, corporations, and ethics, and also serving as a member of the Illinois Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission;

WHEREAS, Bob authored many influential opinions as a United States Bankruptcy Judge for the Northern District of Illinois from 1985 through 2003, and, with his frequent collaborator, the Honorable Robert D. Martin, co-authored the longstanding treatise *Ginsberg & Martin on Bankruptcy*;

WHEREAS, Bob was appointed by Chief Justice William Rehnquist to be a member of the National Bankruptcy Review Commission, which he served as vice-chair, was a member of the Board of the Federal Judicial Center, chaired the FJC's Committee on Bankruptcy Judge Education, earning an Excellence in Education Award from the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges;

WHEREAS, Bob was an elected member of the National Bankruptcy Conference and the American College of Bankruptcy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the National Bankruptcy Conference recognizes the extraordinary accomplishments, character and abilities of the Honorable Robert E. Ginsberg and his contributions to law school and judicial education, and the improvement of bankruptcy law;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the National Bankruptcy Conference expresses its deepest gratitude to Bob for his lifetime of service; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the National Bankruptcy Conference expresses its condolences to Bob's wife of 51 years, Gail Ginsberg, his daughters Debbie Ginsberg and Dana Ginsberg, his grandchildren, and extended family.