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SUBJECT: Appointment of New Member to the Pennsylvania Judicial Conduct Board

The Judicial Conduct Board of Pennsylvania announces that by Order of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court Gary S. Scheimer was appointed to a four-year term on the Board as a non-lawyer elector member commencing October 9, 2012.

Mr. Scheimer was born and raised in Pittsburgh, PA, where he graduated from Mt. Lebanon High School in 1972. In May, 1976, he graduated Magna Cum Laude from Kent State University with a Bachelor's degree in Law Enforcement Administration with a field of concentration in Political Science. While at Kent State University, he was admitted into Alpha Phi Sigma, the National Police Science Honorary, and Pi Sigma Alpha, the National Political Science Honorary in recognition of his academic achievements.

In May 1982, Mr. Scheimer graduated first in his class from the Allegheny County Police Academy. He served on the Dormont Police Department in various capacities for 28 years, retiring in 2009 with the rank of Sergeant. During his tenure with the Dormont Police Department, he received the Governor's Highway Safety Award in 1998 and he received citations from both the Pennsylvania House of Representatives and Senate for his role in solving a 2002 homicide investigation. In February, 2003, Mr. Scheimer received the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 91 Excellence in Law Enforcement Award. He served as President of the Dormont Police Association from 2001-2009.

After his retirement from the Dormont Police Department in 2009, Mr. Scheimer joined the Carnegie Mellon University Police Department as a Police Lieutenant. He currently serves the CMU Police Department as the Commander of Police Services.

For further information about the Pennsylvania Judicial Conduct Board, see the Board’s Website at www.jcbpa.org.

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