

Resolution Honoring

Stephen M. Randels

WHEREAS, Stephen M. Randels is retiring from the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission after twenty-eight years of outstanding service in the positions of Senior and Supervisory Trial Attorney, ADR Coordinator, and Administrative Judge in the Commission's Seattle Office; and

WHEREAS, Stephen M. Randels began a forty year contribution to fulfilling the goals of equal opportunity and equal access to justice in law school as a national board member of the Law Students Civil Rights Research Council, and further demonstrated his commitment through service as an attorney, program director, and litigation coordinator with community legal services programs before joining the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and

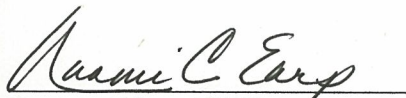
WHEREAS, Stephen M. Randels, during his exemplary service as an attorney with the Commission, successfully challenged unlawful discriminatory practices in many significant individual and class action cases which brought relief to thousands of individuals and resulted in millions of dollars in benefits to victims of discrimination; and

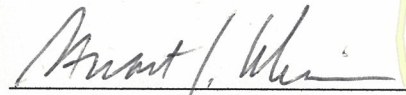
WHEREAS, Stephen M. Randels served with distinction as the ADR Coordinator for nine years during which the Seattle office exceeded goals for successful mediations, resulting in settlements that promptly resolved many cases on terms acceptable to all parties; and

WHEREAS, Stephen M. Randels served as a role model, mentor, and leader to Seattle office staff by virtue of his passion, work ethic, and commitment to the goals of the EEOC:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, on behalf of its employees, expresses its profound appreciation to **Stephen M. Randels**, for his example, commitment, and lasting contributions to the mission and accomplishments of the Commission.

Signed this 5th day of November, 2007.


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