



## Max M. Kampelman Papers

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## The Edward D. Re Lecture Series

This distinguished Lecture Series was established in 1985 by the family, friends and former students of Edward D. Re, a Distinguished Professor of Law at St. John's University School of Law and Chief Judge Emeritus of the United States

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The Edward D. Re Lecture Series  
March 24, 1992

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## THE EDWARD D. RE LECTURE SERIES

**SPEAKER:**  
**AMBASSADOR MAX KAMPELMAN**

**MARCH 24, 1992**

# The Edward D. Re Lecture

Lecture Presented By

**Ambassador  
Max Kampelman**

## "A Negotiator Looks at the Winds of Change and the Rule of Law"

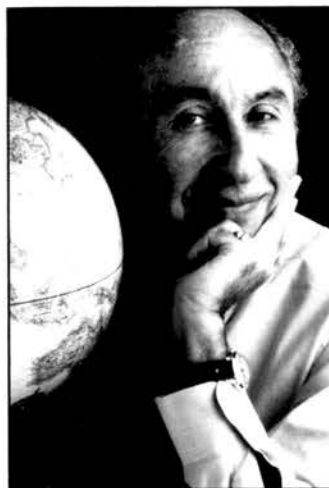
*"The world now fully  
understands that the  
human aspirations of  
people of all cultures  
require societies based upon  
political democracy and the  
Rule of Law."*

Fromkes Hall  
Room 205 (Moot Court Room)  
3 p.m.

Reception Immediately  
Following

### Ambassador Max Kampelman

Max M. Kampelman, a lawyer, diplomat and educator, was Counselor of the Department of State and Ambassador and Head of the United States Delegation to the Negotiations on Nuclear and Space Arms in



Geneva before returning in January, 1989, as a partner in the Washington, New York, Los Angeles and London law firm of Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson. He serves today as Chairman of Freedom House, Chairman of the Board of Governors of the United Nations

Association and Chairman of the Jerusalem Foundation. He also serves on the Board of the International Media Fund and is a member of the Executive Committee of the American Bar Association Special Committee on the Central and Eastern European Law Initiative, both of which are designed to provide assistance to the emerging democracies of Europe.

On January 18, 1989, President Reagan awarded him the Presidential Citizens Medal, which recognizes "citizens of the United States who have performed exemplary deeds of service for their country or their fellow citizens." He has also been the recipient of the Knight Commander's Cross of the Order of Merit of the Federal Republic of Germany.

He was appointed by President Carter and reappointed by President Reagan to serve as

Ambassador and Head of the U.S. Delegation to the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, which took place in Madrid from 1980 to 1983. He has served, by Presidential appointment, as Head of the U.S. Delegation to the CSCE Copenhagen Conference on the Human Dimension in June 1990; as Ambassador and Head of the United States Delegation to the CSCE Geneva Conference on National Minorities in July 1991; and in September 1991 as Head of the U.S. Delegation to the CSCE Moscow Conference on the Human Dimension. Ambassador Kampelman previously was a Senior Advisor to the United Nations and served as Legislative Counsel to U.S. Senator Hubert H. Humphrey.

An educator, Ambassador Kampelman received his J.D. from New York University and his Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Minnesota, where he taught from 1946 to 1948. He has also served on the faculties of Bennington College, Claremont College, the University of Wisconsin and Howard University. He lectures frequently here and abroad and has written extensively in scholarly and public affairs journals. He served on the governing boards of a number of universities and has received nine honorary Doctorate degrees.

Ambassador Kampelman was the founder and moderator of the public affairs program on public television, "Washington Week in Review." He was chairman of the Washington public broadcasting radio and television stations from 1963 to 1970. He and his wife, Marjorie, are the parents of five children and live in Washington, D.C.

## AMBASSADOR KAMPELMAN TO SPEAK AT EDWARD D. RE LECTURE SERIES

"To have overseen our successful arms negotiations and to have established the groundwork for future arms agreements is gloriously satisfying.... I look back knowing I did my best, having followed my heart and my conscience, in pursuit of worthy goals." These are the humble words of Ambassador Max M. Kampelman who negotiated what has come to be known as the "Zero-Zero Agreement" between the United States and Soviet Union which bans further production or testing of intermediate range nuclear weapons.

On March 24th at 3:00 p.m. in Fromkes Hall St. John's University will be honored to welcome United States Ambassador Max Kampelman as a participant in the Edward D. Re Lecture Series. The lecture series, established in 1985 in honor of Chief Judge Re by his family, friends and former students, is designed to facilitate interaction between members of the St. John's community and distinguished scholars of our time.

Ambassador Kampelman is not only a distinguished scholar but also an exceptional statesman and champion of human rights. He has served the United States and human kind in many capacities. His lecture entitled "A Negotiator Looks at the Winds of Change and the Rule of Law," will be an outlook and analysis of the role of the United States and equitable law in the wake of our rapidly changing world.

As an international negotiator his titles have included: Ambassador and Head of the U. S. Delegation to the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe; Counselor of the Department of State; and Head Ambassador of the U.S. Delegation to the Negotiations on Nuclear and Space Arms in Geneva. Ambassador Kampelman's efforts to insure a safer and more democratic world have succeeded. These efforts and personal contemplations are detailed in his autobiography entitled, Entering New Worlds; The Memoirs of A Private Man in Public Life. The book traces the early forming years and lifelong experiences that led to his remarkable accomplishments. It is overwhelmingly replete with lessons in humanity, politics, and international relations, recounting his experiences as one of the key negotiators beginning with the Carter Administration and continuing throughout the Reagan and into the Bush Administration.

Other than diminishing the risk of nuclear destruction and striving to guarantee human rights to people throughout the world, Ambassador Kampelman has devoted his life to humanitarian causes. For instance, during World War II he participated as a "human guinea pig" voluntarily starving

himself so that scientists could study the physical and emotional effects of starvation in order to better treat P.O.W.'s and concentration camp survivors. He continued humanitarian causes throughout his life including, among many, Chairman of the Board of Governors of the United Nations Association, Chairman of Freedom House and Chairmen of the Jerusalem Foundation. Indeed, his creation Washington Week in Review, the genesis of the now inundated political analysis programs, recently celebrated its 25th anniversary.

Ambassador Kampelman is a "Horatio Alger" business story as well. Growing up in the Bronx the son of Jewish immigrants, he financed his own way through undergraduate and graduate school. The humble beginnings resulted in a man who later became a founding owner of the Miami Dolphins football team. He has recently returned to private practice and is a partner at the Washington D.C. law firm of Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson.

Chief Judge Re, who has invited the Ambassador on our behalf, begins his most recent book on remedies with a passage from Sir Isaac Newton, "If [we] have seen further . . . , it is by standing on the shoulders of giants." One giant, Ambassador Kampelman, concludes his book:

When we are growing up, we are taught not to be afraid of the dark. It is my conviction that as our world evolves, in this moment of history so pregnant with hope and the promise of a free and decent tomorrow, we must not be afraid of the light and where it can take us.



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April 20, 1992

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The Honorable Edward D. Re  
Distinguished Professor  
St. John's University  
Grand Central and Utopia Parkways  
Jamaica, NY 11439

Dear Judge Re:

As I am sure you realize, Ambassador Kampelman thoroughly enjoyed his visit to St. John's and participation in the Edward D. Re Lecture Series.

In addition to the \$1,000 honorarium, following are Ambassador Kampelman's travel expenses:

Sedan service to National airport	\$ 28.50
Round trip shuttle service	140.00
Sedan service to residence	<u>34.10</u>
	\$202.60

It was a pleasure to speak to you often as we arranged Amb. Kampelman's visit.

Sincerely,



Sharon H. Dardine  
Assistant to Max M. Kampelman

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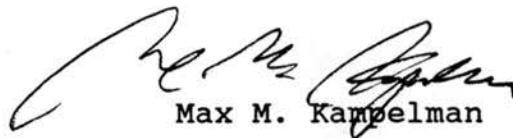
Mr. William J. Placke  
57-34 225th Street  
Bayside, New York 11364

Dear Mr. Placke:

I am grateful to you for your thoughtfulness. Thank you for sending along the materials and for your warm note of April 3, 1992.

All my best.

Sincerely,



Max M. Kampelman

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April 3, 1992

His Excellency Ambassador Max M. Kampelman  
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson  
1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004-2505

Dear Ambassador Kampelman:

Your lecture was absolutely outstanding. You certainly have aroused discussion around the cafeteria. On behalf of all the students at St. John's, I sincerely thank you. I hope the comment from the former Marine - now father - somehow expressed our gratitude. I look forward to reading the speech in an upcoming edition of our law review. The aid package announced by Chancellor Kohl and President Bush certainly seems to be the first step by the Western Countries, but as the saying goes, "the proof is in the pudding."

As promised, enclosed is a copy of the St. John's University School of Law monthly newspaper which contains the article I wrote announcing your lecture. I tried to do justice to your truly outstanding accomplishments and hope I was at least partially successful. Unfortunately, the newspaper was made available to students the day after your lecture. The reason I did not send the paper sooner is that I was hoping you would also sign two enlarged photographs so that I may pass one onto my family in St. Louis. The photographs are enclosed with a return envelope. This would be greatly appreciated.

If there is anything at all that I can do for you or your many associations please let me know and I will be more than happy to do what I can. Once again, thank you for an inspiring day.

Sincerely,  
  
William J. Placke



MMK SCHEDULE  
NEW YORK  
March ~~21~~<sup>24</sup>, 1992

9:50 a.m.	George at residence
10:30 a.m.	Depart National Delta Shuttle
11:40 a.m.	Arrive LaGuardia
	Met at airport by Mr. William Placke
	St. John University
	Grand Central & Utopia Parkways, Jamaica NY
	718-990-6637/6600
12:00 noon	Luncheon
	Meet with students
3:00 p.m.	Lecture (40 minutes)
4:00 p.m.	Reception
5:30 p.m.	Dinner
?	Return to National

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EDWARD D. RE  
Distinguished Professor  
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March 25, 1992

Ambassador Max K. Kampelman  
3154 Highland Place, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

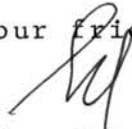
Dear Max:

Personally, and on behalf of all of those who were fortunate enough to have heard your lecture, I wish to thank you for your enormous contribution to the Re Lecture Series and St. John's. As was obvious from the questions asked by the students and the prolonged and enthusiastic applause, the lecture was truly outstanding.

As I stated at the dinner in your honor, you played a major role in giving the Lecture Series renewed vitality and importance. Permit me simply to summarize the appreciation of everyone present with the words of my two sons who attended. Victor, the lawyer, said the lecture was "super," and Eddie, Jr., the builder, said it was "great."

It was a joy to have seen you again and to have had an opportunity to talk. As soon as Peggy is able to travel to Washington, we will arrange a pleasant dinner with Maggie. Stay well.

Your friend,

  
Edward D. Re  
Distinguished Professor

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March 20, 1992

VIA FACSIMILE

His Excellency Ambassador Max M. Kampelman  
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson  
1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004-2505

Re: Lecture at St. John's University School of Law  
Tuesday, March 24th, 1992.

Dear Ambassador Kampelman:

Some time ago Chief Judge Re asked if I would escort you on behalf of St. John's University during your visit. In all honesty, it may have taken a full second for an affirmative response. I consider it a true honor that Judge Re considered me for this responsibility.

Today, Judge Re informed me that you would be arriving on Tuesday at LaGuardia Airport at 11:40 a.m. via the Delta Shuttle. I will wait for you as close to the arriving passenger gate as possible. I assume you will not be able to recognize me from my writing; however, infallibility of this statement is not claimed. I am confident that I will be able to recognize you from your pictures.

My understanding is that from the airport we are to continue to Judge Re's office at St. John's and then on to lunch with the faculty. Following lunch, your speech is scheduled for 3:00 p.m. after which there is a reception. I believe there are other items scheduled after the reception but I personally am not sure of them. What I am sure of is that anywhere you need to go or anything you need during your visit will be accommodated to the best of my ability. If anyone needs to contact you during your visit Judge Re's line, which is connected to an answering system, is (718) 990-6637.

I look forward to meeting you very much. If there is anything I can do in the meantime please let me know.

Sincerely,

  
William J. Placke

cc. Honorable Edward D. Re

MAX M. KAMPELMAN

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004-2505

January 27, 1992

The Honorable Edward D. Re  
305 Beach 147th Street  
Far Rockaway, New York 11694

Dear Ed:

I am looking forward to being with you shortly. It should be an interesting period at the law school. In that connection, I have an inquiry to make of you which I trust will not prove to be in any way embarrassing to you or to me. My lecture agent, however, is interested in knowing whether there is an honorarium associated with my appearance at the law school. He is aware that my speaking is usually accompanied by an honorarium. I certainly did not raise the issue with you and don't remember whether you mentioned anything about it to me. In any event, it certainly is not a condition of my appearance, but I thought I had better straighten it out with you now because I do not know what your practice is at the law school.

My warmest best wishes to you and Peggy.

Sincerely,

  
Max M. Kampelman

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SEE YOU SOON!

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Distinguished Professor  
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December 17, 1991

Hon. Max M. Kampelman  
3154 Highland Place N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Max:

All of us at St. John's are looking forward to your visit on March 24, 1992. The program will be as follows:

- 12:00 Luncheon with key personnel and faculty
  - 3:30 1992 Distinguished Re Lecture
  - 4:30 Reception to follow lecture
  - 6:00 Private Dinner in honor of Ambassador Kampelman and Distinguished Guests
- Departure by last available shuttle to Washington, D.C.

Please let me know if you have any special guests you would like to have invited to the lecture and/or the private dinner.

Peggy and I look forward to seeing you.

Cordially,



Edward D. Re  
Distinguished Professor

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*Max,  
Please phone. I have some  
news on my "Near East" proposal.*



UNITED STATES COURT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE  
ONE FEDERAL PLAZA  
NEW YORK, N. Y. 10007

RE

CHAMBERS OF  
EDWARD D. RE  
CHIEF JUDGE Emeritus

MEMORANDUM OF PROPOSAL  
(Personal and Confidential)

SUBJECT: Proposal for an Israeli Claims Commission  
TO: Ambassador Uriel Savir  
FROM: Judge Edward D. Re  
DATE: December 10, 1991

I. SUMMARY

The proposal involves the establishment of an Israeli Claims Commission whose purpose is to make awards to those private owners of land and structures who have been deprived of their ownership and possession by Israeli government action. No difficulty is presented by the membership and organization of the proposed Commission, and questions as to land, structures and persons eligible to file claims may be resolved by the pertinent Israeli national legislation that establishes the Commission.

The establishment of the Commission is an unequivocal acknowledgment of a respect for property, and equity and due process of law, as reflected in enlightened Constitutions such as the Constitution of the United States, and Article XVII of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. It is believed that the announcement of this Israeli claims program, and Israeli efforts to effectuate it, would be viewed as a genuine gesture of good will and good faith that would be enthusiastically received.

II. INTRODUCTION

This memorandum, for the first time, commits to writing a concept that originated with the author of this memorandum many years ago. In the past, it was revealed only to close friends on a confidential basis to avoid the possibility of adverse publicity resulting from the possibility of its non-acceptance by the Israeli authorities.



The proposal is simple in concept. It involves the establishment of a national claims commission, that is, a commission established pursuant to the laws of Israel, whose purpose is to ascertain the number of eligible claimants and precise properties owned by these claimants who, legally and equitably, ought to receive compensation for the deprivation of their property. Eligibility as to claimants and properties included will be set forth in the Israeli legislation or enabling act that will establish the Commission, and set forth its powers and purposes. Israeli authorities, pursuant to the act, will appoint the commission members, as well as engage personnel and supporting staff. Details of the legislation, such as compensation, duration, etc., need not be considered at this time.

### III. AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

The experience of the United States in the making of awards to Americans who have lost their property throughout the world through destruction by military action, nationalization or confiscation, is considerable. This experience is reflected in the many claims programs conducted by the United States War Claims Commission and the International Claims Commission of the United States. These commissions were abolished in 1954, and their functions were combined in the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States.

The author of this proposal is familiar with all matters pertaining to the applicable principles of law, international and domestic, the American claims programs, and the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission. This familiarity is the result of teaching and writing in the field, and from his service as Chairman of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission for seven years in the administrations of Presidents Kennedy and Johnson.

In his capacity as Chairman, the author presided over the administration of many important claims programs, such as the Czechoslovakian, Polish, Philippine and War Claims programs. The author was the administration witness who testified in favor of the enactment of the War Claims program (also known as the German program, since most of the funds were derived from seized German assets in the United States). The author also testified before the Congress

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on other programs, such as the Philippine Claims program, and the Cuban, Chinese and Canadian (Gut Dam) programs.

#### IV. CLAIMS LEGISLATION AND CLAIMS PROGRAM

If the concept and proposal of an Israeli claims proposal is accepted, the author is willing and able to prepare and assist in the preparation of all necessary materials, in consultation with Israeli authorities, that would cover the following areas:

- a) The Governing Israeli Legislation (the enabling act);
- b) Nature of a Claims Commission and its funding;
- c) Organization and staffing of a Claims Commission; and
- d) Provision for the payment of awards made by the Commission, and methods for the acquisition of funds for the payment of the awards.

December 10, 1991

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Distinguished Professor of Law

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OFFICE OF THE DEAN

November 18, 1991

The Honorable Max M. Kampelman  
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson  
Suite 800 1000 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004-2505

Dear Ambassador Kampelman:

I am pleased to extend a formal invitation to you to visit St. John's University School of Law as the Edward D. Re Distinguished Lecturer during the spring semester of the 1991-1992 academic year. Named to recognize the extraordinary career and achievements of Judge Re, who is again a full-time member of the law faculty, the lectureship provides an opportunity for distinguished individuals to visit and to address the students, faculty and graduates of the School. The topic for your remarks is entirely within your discretion, but some reflections on the current Mid-East peace process or the events in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union might be most timely and interesting.

I would like you to spend a day at the School of Law, with a luncheon meeting with faculty members, a lecture in the late afternoon to students, faculty, and graduates, and a dinner that evening with a group of faculty members, student leaders, and distinguished graduates.

All of your expenses in travelling to and staying in New York will be covered by the School of Law. With regard to the time of your visit, any of the dates which Judge Re has given to you would be acceptable. However, in light of the current academic schedule, a Wednesday would be the best day for scheduling the lecture. Please let me know your preferred date for the visit, so that we can begin to make more detailed plans.

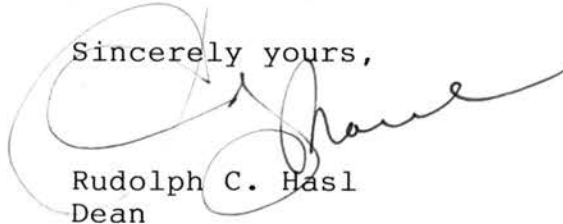
On a personal note, in my former position as Dean of Saint Louis University School of Law, I had the occasion to work with Jack Boese, who was quite instrumental in our hiring a former Fried, Frank associate to the faculty. Please give Jack my best regards.

The Honorable Max M. Kampelman

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November 18, 1991

I look forward to a positive response to my invitation. There is considerable interest at St. John's University in your visit and lecture. Judge Re would be particularly honored by your delivering the lecture named in his honor.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. Hasl", is written over the typed name. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the beginning and a long, sweeping tail.

Rudolph C. Hasl  
Dean

RCH:da

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**EDWARD D. RE**

**DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF LAW,  
ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW**

**CHIEF JUDGE EMERITUS  
UNITED STATES COURT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE**

On May 1st, 1991, after twenty-two years of service as Judge and Chief Judge of the United States Court of International Trade, Chief Judge Re retired and returned to St. John's University School of Law as Distinguished Professor of Law. On April 24, 1991, the Court conferred upon him the title of Chief Judge Emeritus.

Prior to his retirement, Chief Judge Re, pursuant to fifty-two separate designations by Chief Justice Burger and Chief Justice Rehnquist, served on eight Circuit Courts of Appeals and four District Courts throughout the United States. Chief Judge Re also served as a statutory member of the Judicial Conference of the United States since 1986 and, in 1990, was appointed to its Executive Committee and Committee on Long Range Planning by Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist.

Prior to his nomination as a Judge of the United States Customs Court on September 12, 1968, Edward D. Re had served as Chairman of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States by appointments of Presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson, 1961-1967; and as Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, by appointment of President Lyndon B. Johnson, 1967-1969. On September 21, 1968, he was nominated by President Johnson to be a Judge of the United States Customs Court; was confirmed by the Senate on October 2, 1968, and, on January 10, 1969, assumed his duties as a federal judge. On March 21, 1977, he was designated Chief Judge by President Jimmy Carter. On November 1, 1980, Judge Re became the first Chief Judge of the United States Court of International Trade.

Judge Re was appointed to the faculty of St. John's University School of Law in 1947, and was full professor from 1951 until 1961. While on leave of absence because of government service he taught at St. John's University School of Law, the Georgetown University Law Center and New York Law School. In 1980, he was named Distinguished Professor of Law at St. John's University School of Law.

Judge Re was a member of the Board of Higher Education of the City of New York from 1958 to 1969, and upon resignation was appointed a Member Emeritus. Having served in World War II and during the Korean conflict, he is a Colonel in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the United States Air Force (Retired).

In addition to many articles, he is the author of books in the fields of International Law, Equity, Remedies and Legal Writing, including: Brief Writing and Oral Argument, 6th edition, 1987; Equity, with Professor Zechariah Chafee, Jr., of the Harvard Law School, 5th edition, 1967; Equitable Remedies, 1975; Remedies, 2nd edition, 1987; and Cases and Materials on International Law with Professor Lester B. Orfield, rev. edition, 1965.

Judge Re was a member of the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association from 1976 to 1978, served as Chairman of the Association's Section of International and Comparative Law from 1965 to 1967, and Chairman of its Judicial Education on International Law Committee. Judge Re was a member of the Secretary of State's Advisory Committee on Private International Law, and served as Chairman of the Federal Judicial Center's Advisory Committee on Experimentation in the Law from 1978 to 1981.

Judge Re is married to the former Margaret Anne Corcoran, a lawyer and graduate of St. John's University School of Law. They are the parents of twelve children.

1 May 1991



THE JUDGES OF THE UNITED STATES COURT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

in admiration and recognition of

THE HONORABLE EDWARD D. RE

Appointed a Judge of the United States Customs Court in 1968 by President Johnson and elevated to Chief Judge in 1977 by President Carter, Edward D. Re thereafter became the first and, to date, only Chief Judge of the Court of International Trade. Under his leadership, the Court has become a national model for efficient and effective administration of justice.


In addition to his outstanding performance as a Judge and Chief Judge of the Customs Court and the Court of International Trade, Edward D. Re has served with distinction as a judge, pursuant to some 52 special designations by Chief Justice Burger or Chief Justice Rehnquist, on eight United States circuit courts of appeals and four United States district courts. Chief Judge Re has also served as a member of the Judicial Conference of the United States and as a select member of its Executive Committee and recently was appointed by the Chief Justice to the Judicial Conference's Committee on Long-Range Planning.

In retiring from the judiciary, effective April 30, 1991, to resume full-time teaching as a Distinguished Professor of Law at St. John's University, Edward D. Re's erudition, vitality, wisdom, humor, and warm friendship and counsel will be long remembered and held in high regard, as are his other remarkable accomplishments as a scholar, soldier, educator, author and public servant.

WHEREFORE, in admiration and recognition of our colleague, and of his great service and achievements, we take special pleasure and consider it fitting that Edward D. Re be, and he hereby is, *Chief Judge Emeritus of the United States Court of International Trade.*

Done the 24th day of April 1991 by the Judges of the United States Court of International Trade.

ATTEST:

  
Joseph E. Lombardi  
Clerk of the Court