

MINUTES OF SPECIAL CONVOCATION

Toronto - Friday, 29th January, 2010
Roy Thomson Hall
9:30 a.m.

PRESENT:

The Treasurer (W. A. Derry Millar), Boyd, Braithwaite, Dray, Hare, Heintzman, Krishna, McGrath, Pustina, Simpson, C. Strosberg, Swaye, Symes and Wardlaw.

To the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada Assembled in Convocation

The Director of Professional Development and Competence reports as follows:

CALL TO THE BAR AND CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS

Licensing Process and Transfer from another Province – By-Law 4

Attached is a list of candidates who have successfully completed the Licensing Process and have met the requirements in accordance with subsection 9.

All candidates now apply to be called to the bar and to be granted a Certificate of Fitness on

Friday, January 29th, 2010 – A.M.
Roy Thomson Hall, Toronto

ALL OF WHICH is respectfully submitted

DATED this 29th day of January, 2010

Attached to the original Report in Convocation file is the list of candidates to be called to the bar.

It was moved by Mr. Swaye, seconded by Ms. McGrath, that the Report of the Director of Professional Development and Competence be adopted.

Carried

CONVOCATION WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 9:30 A.M.

A quorum of Convocation was present.

The body of the auditorium was occupied by the candidates and their guests.

The Treasurer asked all present to stand for the National Anthem sung by Erica Huang.

The Treasurer welcomed the candidates and their guests.

CALL TO THE BAR

Ms. McGrath and Mr. Swaye presented to the Treasurer the 104 candidates for the call to the bar.

The Treasurer conferred upon the candidates the degree of Barrister-at-law and called them to the bar of Ontario.

The Treasurer addressed the new Barristers.

CONVOCATION ADJOURNED

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Following Convocation a special sitting of the Court of Appeal for Ontario and the Superior Court of Justice convened, with the Honourable Regional Senior Justice Edward Then presiding.

The candidates were presented to Justice Then before whom they took the Oaths and acknowledged their signatures on the Rolls in the presence of the Court.

Justice Then addressed the new Barristers and Solicitors.

Confirmed in Convocation this 25th day of February, 2010.

Treasurer