

9th February, 1996

MINUTES OF SPECIAL CONVOCATION

London - Friday, 9th February, 1996  
2:30 p.m.

Prior to Convocation, the Treasurer and Benchers held a reception and luncheon in the Club Room at the Radisson Hotel. The guests in attendance were Justice R. J. Flinn, Justice T. Granger, Q.C. Gordon Good, Dean Neil Gold, Pearl Feig, Shirley Furlong, Greg and Dina Verbeem, Otto Colosimo, Alfred Mamo and Robert Morrison.

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Following the luncheon, the Treasurer, the Benchers and their guests proceeded to the Ballroom for the Call to the Bar Ceremonies of the 81 graduates of the 37th Bar Admission Course.

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CONVOCATION WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 2:30 P.M.

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PRESENT:

The Treasurer (Susan E. Elliott), Adams, Carey, Carpenter-Gunn, Eberts, Epstein, Furlong, Gottlieb, MacKenzie, Pepper, Ross and Stomp.

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

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The Treasurer introduced The Honourable Justice B. Thomas Granger, Regional Senior Justice-Southwest Region, Ontario Court of Justice (General Division), who addressed the graduates and their guests.

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PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Ms. Margaret A. McSorley, Assistant Director of the Bar Admission Course presented the recipients of awards to the Treasurer.

The Treasurer presented the following prizes to the respective recipients:

Awarded The Treasurer's Medal, The Roland O. Daly Scholarship, and The Edwin George Long, K.C. Memorial Scholarship for the student attaining the highest grades in the Bar Admission Course; The Pensa & Associate Prize for the student attaining the highest grades in the Bar Admission Course at London; The McCarthy Tetrault Business Law Prize donated by McCarthy Tetrault for the student attaining the highest grade in Business Law at London; and The S.J. Birnbaum, Q.C. Scholarships, First Prize for the student attaining the highest grade in Estate Planning

Gregory James Verbeem

