

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

IN MEMORY OF

JUDITH FINKEL TODD

WHEREAS, it is with great regret that the Birmingham Bar Association acknowledges the passing of a wise and respected lawyer, a committed philanthropist, nurturing wife and mother, and an extraordinary friend, Judy Todd, who passed away the 14th day of July, 2010; and,

WHEREAS, Judy was a practicing attorney for 38 years, of which 28 years were spent as a lawyer in Birmingham, Alabama with the firm of Sirote & Permutt, P.C. specializing in estates, estate planning and charitable planning; and,

WHEREAS, Judy gave generously of both her time and resources to local and national professional and philanthropic organizations; and,

WHEREAS, as a part of her social commitment, she served on the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the YWCA, and the first Board of the Women's Fund of the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham. Judy was also past President of The Women's Network, an alumni of Leadership Birmingham, past President of Oasis – A Women's Mental Health Center, and Chairman of the Professional Advisors Board of the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham; and,

WHEREAS, Judy was recognized with many awards, including Birmingham Outstanding Professional Advisor by the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham, the Life Inspiration Award from the American Cancer Society, a Woman of Distinction Award from the Girl Scouts of America, and named a Top Birmingham Woman by the Birmingham Business Journal; and,

WHEREAS, Judy was an active member at Temple Emanu-El; and,

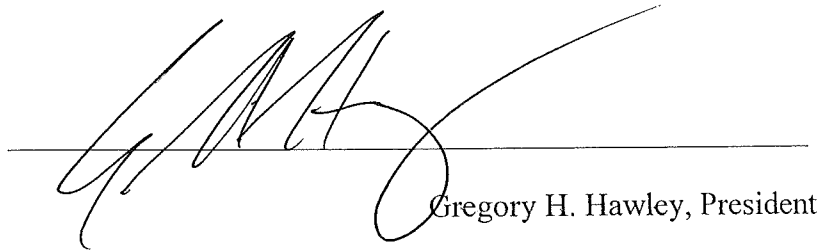
WHEREAS, this Resolution is offered as a record of our admiration and affection for Judy Todd and of our condolences to her family.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Executive Committee of the Birmingham Bar Association at its regular meeting assembled:

1. That this Executive Committee greatly mourns the passing of Judith Todd and salutes her as a person who earnestly sought to make a positive difference in every group and situation in which she was involved, and who spent her entire life striving for excellence in all that she did.

2. That Judy's husband, Ted Abrams, her son, Charles Samuel (Sam) Todd, her mother, Grace K. Finkel, and her step-children, Margaret Todd Webster, Susan Todd Mullen, Jon Abrams and Amy Nathan, and other members of her family are hereby assured of our deep and abiding sympathy.
3. That this Resolution be spread upon the records of the Birmingham Bar Association as a permanent memorial to our departed sister.
4. That copies of this Resolution be furnished to her family and members of her law firm as our expression to them of our deepest sympathy.

Done, this the 13th day of August, 2010.



Gregory H. Hawley, President