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Annual Meeting Update

Seven uniform acts and one model act were approved at the Conference's recently concluded annual meeting in South Carolina: Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act; Revised Uniform Limited Liability Company Act; Uniform Child Abduction Prevention Act; Uniform Representation of Children in Abuse, Neglect, and Custody Proceedings Act; Uniform Emergency Volunteer Healthcare Practitioners Act; Uniform Power of Attorney Act; Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act; and Model Registered Agents Act. The approved text of each of these acts has been posted at the Conference website at www.nccusl.org.

New Drafting and Study Committees

The Executive Committee authorized the appointment of five new drafting and three new study committees. The new drafting committees are: Drafting Committee on Business Organization Act; Drafting Committee on TOD for Real Property Act; Drafting Committee on Collaborative Law Act; Drafting Committee on Relocation of Children Act; Drafting Committee on Regulation of Medical Examiners Act. The new study committees are: Study Committee on 1996 Hague Convention on the Protection of Children; Study Committee on DNA Evidence; and Study Committee to Revise Uniform Law on Notarial Acts.

Update from ABA Annual Meeting

At its just concluded annual meeting, the House of Delegates of the American Bar Association voted to endorse the new Uniform Emergency Volunteer Healthcare Practitioners Act, less than a month after it was approved by the Conference. The UEVHPA was drafted in response to the devastation in the Gulf States from Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, specifically the problem of allowing out-of-state medical professionals to practice in the afflicted areas during a declared emergency. Specifically, UEVHPA allows state governments to give reciprocity to other states' licensees on emergency services providers during a declared disaster. The resolution endorsing the UEVHPA was co-sponsored by the ABA Health Law Section, the ABA Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Section, and the ABA State and Local Government Section.

Upcoming Meetings

- **September 6-9, 2006, Arlington, Virginia**
Committee on Style
- **September 8-10, 2006, Arlington, Virginia**
Drafting Committee on Misuse of Genetic Information in Employment and Insurance Act
Committee on Project to Create a Harmonized Legal Framework for Unincorporated Nonprofit Associations in North America

Commissioner News

Kentucky Commissioner Marcia Milby Ridings was recently recognized by the Kentucky Bar Association as "Outstanding Lawyer of the Year" for her service to the legal profession and her charitable work in the community. She has practiced law in Kentucky for almost 30 years and has served as president, president-elect, and vice president of the KBA.