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## FDIC NAMES DEPUTY AND ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSELS

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation today announced the appointments of Michael B. Burgee as Deputy General Counsel for the Closed Bank Investigation and Litigation Branch of the Legal Division, and Ann S. DuRoss as Assistant General Counsel for the Closed Bank Litigation Section of the Branch.

Mr. Burgee will replace Daniel W. Persinger who has left the FDIC to join the Continental Illinois National Bank.

Mr. Burgee joined the FDIC in 1977 as an attorney in the Legal Division. Prior to that he served for five years in the Judge Advocate General's Corps of the U.S. Army and also engaged in the private practice of law. In June 1980, he became Senior Counsel in the Closed Bank Litigation and Liquidation Section of the Legal Division. In 1983, Mr. Burgee was appointed Area Director for the Southeast Area Liquidation Office of the Division of Liquidation. The following year, he was named Associate Director (Administration) of the Division of Liquidation. He returned to the Legal Division in the fall of 1984 as Deputy General Counsel (Regional and Corporate Affairs), the position he held prior to his new appointment.

He holds a BA in Economics from the University of Virginia and a JD from the National Law Center of George Washington University in Washington, D.C. He is married to Linda G. Davenport who is Deputy General Counsel of the National Corporation for Housing Partnership in Washington, D.C.

John C. Murphy, Jr., FDIC General Counsel, said: "Mike Burgee is extremely well-versed in closed bank legal issues. In addition, his strong

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managerial skills and his knowledge of FDIC regional activities should further enhance the coordination between the closed bank and regional areas."

Ms. DuRoss became a law clerk in 1968 to Honorable June L. Green of the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. In 1970, she joined the U.S. Attorney's Office for the District of Columbia and has served since then as an Assistant U.S. Attorney involved in both civil and criminal litigation at the District Court and Court of Appeals levels.

She holds a BA from Goucher College, Towson, Maryland, and graduated with a JD from The Catholic University of America School of Law in 1968. She is married to William H. DuRoss, III, who is an Associate Solicitor with the U.S. Department of Labor. They have three children.

Mr. Murphy said: "Ann DuRoss' training will be extremely valuable in developing our in-house litigation capabilities in the Closed Bank Branch, and I am delighted that we have been able to attract someone with her background, skills and litigation experience to practice law with us."

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