

# CONFERENCE OF CHIEF JUSTICES

## Resolution of Condolence

WHEREAS, the members of the Conference of Chief Justices are deeply saddened by the unexpected death of Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer of Ohio on April 2, 2010; and

WHEREAS, Chief Justice Moyer was respected and admired by all members of the Conference of Chief Justices as a person of the highest integrity who walked humbly in his unselfish dedication to the rule of law and the public he served, and in his loyalty to his colleagues and staff; and

WHEREAS, Chief Justice Moyer served as President of the Conference of Chief Justices and as Chair of the National Center for State Courts Board of Directors from 1995-1996, where he exhibited progressive leadership and earned many friends with his warm, friendly, sincere approach to leading and solving problems; and

WHEREAS, Chief Justice Moyer was seen as the quintessential Chief Justice with a strong work ethic and commitment to the citizens of Ohio whom he served; and

WHEREAS, not only the Ohio court system but also the state courts of the entire nation have lost an exceptional jurist, innovative leader and dear friend; and

WHEREAS, the death of Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer has brought sadness and sorrow to his wife Mary and his entire family;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Conference of Chief Justices expresses its deepest condolences and heartfelt sympathies to Mary and her family for their sorrow and loss.

Adopted by the Conference of Chief Justices on April 8, 2010