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**ACTION REQUEST**

**Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement**

**Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir**

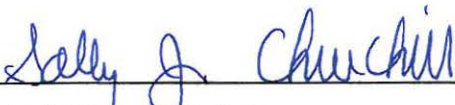
**Philip M. Frost, J.D.**, clinical professor of law in the Law School, retired from active faculty status on May 31, 2015.

Professor Frost received his B.A. degree from Yale University in 1970 and his J.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1973. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as a clinical assistant professor of law in 1996, and was promoted to clinical professor of law in 2006.

Professor Frost practiced with the Detroit-based law firm of Dickinson, Wright, Moon, Van Dusen & Freeman (now Dickinson Wright PLLP) from 1974-96, in the areas of commercial litigation, antitrust, and bankruptcy. He was a partner with the firm from 1981-96 and chaired its recruitment and pro bono committees. Following Law School, he served as a law clerk to the Honorable Philip Pratt of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan from 1973-74. Professor Frost served with distinction as director of the Law School's Legal Practice Program, which trains law students in research, writing, advocacy, and counseling skills. In addition to his Law School activities, Frost has served as a commercial panel arbitrator for the American Arbitration Association and has presented before the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts & Letters and the Legal Writing Institute. He also has served as chair of the Survey Committee of the Association of Legal Writing Directors and as an editor of *Legal Writing: The Journal of the Legal Writing Institute*.

The Regents now salute this distinguished teacher and scholar by naming **Philip M. Frost, clinical professor emeritus of law**.

**Requested by:**



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