THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Eric M. Barach, M.D., clinical assistant professor of emergency medicine in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on February 25, 2014.

Dr. Barach received his B.S. (1973) and M.S. (1976) degrees from Wayne State University, his B.S., P.A.-C (1978) degree from Mercy College, and his M.D. (1993) degree from Michigan State University. He completed his residency (1993-96) and served as staff physician (1996-99) at the Henry Ford Hospital. Dr. Barach served as staff physician at the Hurley Hospital from 1996-2014. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as a clinical instructor in 1996, and was promoted to clinical assistant professor in 2001.

Dr. Barach's clinical and scholarly work focused on emergency medicine, with special expertise in the pathophysiology of gunshot wounds, ballistics and explosives, plant toxicology, aquatic toxicology, and emergency dialysis problems. He has published articles in a number of leading journals including *The Journal of Emergency Medicine*, the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, and *The Journal of Trauma and Acute Care Surgery*. A gifted teacher and dedicated mentor, Dr. Barach was actively involved in the education and training of physician assistants, nurses, and residents. In addition to his clinical work at the Hurley Hospital, he served as the physician assistant liaison for the Emergency Department and as the organizer and presenter of the monthly Morbidity and Mortality Conferences.

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member for his dedicated service by naming Eric M. Barach clinical assistant professor emeritus of emergency medicine.

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