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Report to Convocation April 23, 2015

Access to Justice Committee

Committee Members

Cathy Corsetti, Co-Chair
Paul Schabas, Co-Chair
Susan Hare, Vice-Chair and
Special Liaison with the Equity and Aboriginal Issues Committee
Beth Symes, Vice-Chair
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Purpose of Report: Decision and Information

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COMMITTEE PROCESS

1. The Access to Justice Committee (the “Committee”) met on April 8, 2015. Committee members Cathy Corsetti (Co-chair), Paul Schabas (Co-chair), Susan Hare (Vice-chair), Beth Symes (Vice-chair), Raj Anand (telephone), Marion Boyd, Mary Louis Dickson, Bob Evans, Avvy Go, Brian Lawrie, Michael Lerner, Virginia MacLean (telephone), Malcolm Mercer, Barbara Murchie, Baljit Sikand, and Bradley Wright (telephone) attended. Constance Backhouse, Robert Burd, Michelle Haigh, Ross Earnshaw, Marian Lippa, Susan McGrath and Jan Richardson also attended. Aneurin Thomas, Marcus Pratt, Heather Morgan, Emma Barz and Ashley Arrobas attended for a presentation on Legal Aid Ontario.
2. Staff in attendance were Julia Bass, Sabreena Delhon, Denise McCourtie, Marisha Roman, Grant Wedge and Sheena Weir.

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FOR INFORMATION

PROPOSAL FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF

THE J. SHIRLEY DENISON AWARD

31. The Access to Justice Committee considered a proposal submitted by the Heritage Committee for the establishment of the J. Shirley Denison Award and voted unanimously to support the proposal as submitted to Convocation.