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July 11 and 12, 1985
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THURSDAY, JULY 11

Registration and Coffee  Law School Lounge,
8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

(Bus Shuttle from the Hospitality House to the Law School with departure at 8:30 a.m. and 8:45 a.m.)

Introductory Remarks  Law School, Room 124.
9:00 - 9:15 a.m.,
Timothy J. Sullivan,
Dean Designate

Session I

Part I  “Recent Developments in Libel Law”
Law School, Room 124,
9:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Luncheon, National Center for State Courts, 12:00 - 1:15 p.m.

Part II  “Fighting Back: How to Discourage Meritless Suits”
Law School, Room 124,
2:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Session I Participants

Principal Remarks  David Anderson
Professor of Law
University of Texas Law School
Panelists

David Boies
Cravath, Swaine & Moore

William R. Burleigh
Vice President and General
Editorial Manager
Scripps-Howard Newspapers

E. Jay Cutting
Baker & Hostetler

William H. Hornby
Senior Editor
The Denver Post

David E. Kendall
Williams & Connolly

Eugene Patterson
Chairman of the Board and
Chief Executive Officer
St. Petersburg Times

Reception

National Center for State Courts
4:30 - 6:00 p.m.

(Bus Shuttle will depart from the Law School at 5:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. for the Hospitality House).

FRIDAY, JULY 12

Coffee, Law School Lounge, 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

(Bus Shuttle from the Hospitality House to the Law School with departure at 8:30 a.m. and 8:45 a.m.)

Session II

“Antitrust and the Press”
Law School, Room 124
9:00 - 11:45 a.m.

Speakers

Conrad Shumadine
Willcox & Savage, P.C.

W. Terry Maguire
General Counsel
American Newspaper
Publishers Assoc.

Luncheon, National Center for State Courts, 12:00 - 1:15 p.m.
**Session III**

"Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress"
Law School, Room 124
2:00 - 4:30 p.m.

**Speakers**

Daniel J. Givelber
Dean, Northeastern University School of Law

Richard N. Pearson
Professor of Law, University of Florida
Spessard L. Holland Law Center

(Bus Shuttle from the Law School to the Hospitality House with departure at 4:45 p.m.)

**David A. Anderson**
Professor of Law, University of Texas

Professor Anderson received his A.B. from Harvard and his J.D. from Texas where he was a member of the *Texas Law Review* staff. Prior to joining the faculty of the University of Texas School of Law, he was a reporter and bureau chief for United Press International. Professor Anderson is the editor of *Privacy and Public Disclosure Under the Freedom of Information Act* and the author of numerous other publications including articles in the *Texas Law Review* and the *UCLA Law Review*.

**Daniel J. Givelber**
Dean, Northeastern University School of Law

Dean Givelber received his A.B. and his LL.B. from Harvard. He is the author of numerous publications including articles in the *Columbia Law Review, University of Pennsylvania Law Review* and the *Wisconsin Law Review*.

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Mr. Maguire received his B.A. from Brown and his J.D. from the National Law Center of George Washington University. He has served as General Counsel to the National Newspaper Association and as Attorney Advisor to the Broadcast Bureau, Federal Communications Commission.
Richard N. Pearson
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Professor Pearson received his B.B.A. from the University of Michigan, his LL.B. from Boston University and his LL.M. from Yale. He is the author of numerous articles involving tort injury and liability including articles in the Columbia Law Review, the University of Florida Law Review, the Indiana Law Journal and the Louisiana Law Review.

Conrad M. Shumadine
Partner, Willcox & Savage, P.C.
Mr. Shumadine received his A.B. from Davidson and his J.D. from Harvard. He is the program chairman for “Antitrust, the Media and the New Technology,” Practicing Law Institute. Mr. Shumadine’s practice emphasizes first amendment issues including antitrust and the media.

The Institute of Bill of Rights Law was established in 1982 at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law to support scholarly research in the constitutional principles contained in the Bill of Rights, particularly the First Amendment. The Institute also supports work in the history of the Bill of Rights, and sponsors programs to facilitate interaction between the professions of law and journalism.

A free press plays a unique role in our society. It is a bulwark of our political system, insuring that the people are informed of political decisions so that they may be more knowledgeable participants in the political process.

The Institute of Bill of Rights Law was established by a bequest of Laura Lee, who held a lifelong interest in a free press and its role in our society, in memory of her parents, Alfred Wilson Lee and Mary I. W. Lee.