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Legislative Update

The 2009 legislative year is well underway. To date there are 211 introductions and 21 enactments. Massachusetts continues to lead all states with nine enactments. The Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act leads all acts with 19 introductions and four enactments.

New Members

Michigan has two new commissioners: Justin Amish is a state representative from Western Michigan and Andy Coulouris is a state representative from Saginaw.

In Colorado, our newest commissioner is Morgan Carroll, a state senator from Aurora, who replaces Ken Gordon as commissioner.

In California, state Senator Ellen Corbett from San Leandro is our newest member. Sen. Corbett is Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee, and replaces Rep. Dick Ackerman as commissioner.

In Mississippi, state Senator Joey Fillingane from Sumrall has been appointed commissioner. Sen. Fillingane is Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Division A.

In Puerto Rico, Eduardo Arosemena-Munoz has been appointed commissioner. Mr. Arosemena is Assistant Secretary of State for Services for Puerto Rico in San Juan.

Upcoming Meetings

- **March 27-28, 2009, Chicago, Illinois**
Drafting Committee on Presidential Electors Act
- **March 27-29, 2009, Chicago, Illinois**
Drafting Committee on Electronic Recordation of Custodial Interrogations
Drafting Committee to Revise Model State Administrative Procedure Act
- **March 28-29, 2009, Chicago, Illinois**
Study Committee to Revise the Uniform Division of Income for Tax Purposes Act

Commissioner News

Georgia Uniform Law Commissioner Paul Kurtz was the recent recipient of the National Child Support Enforcement Association's (NCSEA) Child Support Community Service Award at NCSEA's 2009 Policy Forum and Training Conference in Washington, DC. This award honors an individual who, though not directly part of the child support world, has made significant contributions to the child support community by devoting interest, time, talent and training to the improvement of child support enforcement. Paul served as the reporter for the original Uniform Interstate Family Support Act, and was a consultant to the United States Interstate Child Support Commission. NCSEA President Howard Baldwin said, "Dean Kurtz's outstanding civic involvement and his valuable contribution to children, families and the child support professionals who serve them earned him this award. It is well deserved." Congratulations Paul!

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