

**A RESOLUTION IN HONOR OF
THE HONORABLE ADRIAN G. DUPLANTIER**
and
TO ESTABLISH AN AWARD IN HIS NAME



The Board of Directors of the Federal Judges Association in regular assembly at its annual meeting of the Board convened this May 2007 does now hereby find and resolve as follows:

In recognition of his many years of extraordinary dedication and able leadership to the Federal Judges Association, which capstone has been to chair since its inception the Senior Judges Committee of the FJA, and thereby increase the influence of the association, the size of its membership as well as the vitality and success of its undertakings; and

Further, in recognition of the wise counsel and astute guidance and genuine friendship which have been the hallmarks of his sustained contributions to the work of the Association and its Board; and

Further, in recognition of his indefatigable efforts to enhance the dignity and effectiveness of the Constitutional office of federal judge through his unflagging commitment to the cause of judicial independence; and

Further, in recognition of his irrepressible and contagious enthusiasm, his unfailing good humor and hopeful demeanor, often in the face of conflict and disappointment and occasional defeat; and

In gratitude for all these things;

The Board of Directors of the Federal Judges Association, in order to honor him and to perpetuate his example of extraordinary commitment and extended and devoted service, does hereby establish an award to be bestowed in alternating years at the selection and discretion of the President of the Association which henceforth shall be referred to as "The Adrian" and given to an Article III judge in senior status whose career has exemplified, through notable contributions to the cause of judicial independence, the same excellence and devotion and effectiveness and goodwill as has the judge for whom this award is now created and named.

At the direction of its President, Judge Irene M. Keeley, the Board also now hereby bestows "The Adrian" on The Honorable Adrian G. DuPlantier, thereby making him the inaugural recipient of this prestigious recognition and according to him the high honor which inheres thereto, for which he is deemed exceedingly worthy by his grateful colleagues and peers – friends all!

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