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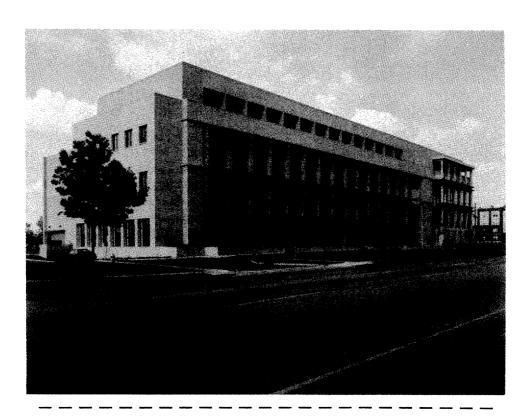
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His most recent book is MATTERS OF LIFE AND DEATH (Princeton Univ. Press 2001); he is also a co-author of the casebook HEALTH CARE LAW AND ETHICS. His more than 80 articles in leading legal and medical journals address critical issues in medical ethics, including end-of-life decisions, new reproductive technologies, and managed care.

In November 2002, Dr. Orentlicher was elected to the Indiana House of Representatives, where he is Vice-Chair of the Public Health Committee and a member of three other committees—Ways and Means, Education, and Technology, Research, and Development.

DEDICATION

The launch of the *Indiana Health Law Review* is a seminal event in the growth of the health law program at Indiana University School of Law – Indianapolis. It represents continuing commitment to the main mission of the law school's health law program—helping students learn law and policy and producing scholarship of the highest quality. Certainly this first issue exemplifies these paramount goals of the law school's health law program and its William S. and Christine S. Hall Center for Law and Health.

Perhaps the most wonderful fact about this new review is that, from start to finish, the review's genesis, organization, and implementation was the work of students. This year's Executive Board of Editors developed and presented the original proposal to the faculty and have brought forth this first issue. It is rare that students who are with us for only a few years make such an important contribution to the institution of the law school. This new law review is a tremendous contribution to the law school and its health law program.

This first issue, which includes superb scholarship, is especially symbolic. It opens with an excellent article by an alumna who has had a distinguished career as a professor of law at the Louis D. Brandeis School of Law at the University of Louisville. Following is an article by another professor who has been a long time friend and supporter of this law school. The issue contains two articles based on lectures of recipients of the McDonald-Merrill-Ketcham Award. This award reflects a strong effort of the law school's health law program to reward excellence in the fields of law and medicine—an effort possible because of the generosity of good friends of the school. The issue also includes contributions from members of the bar whose firms have been long time friends and supporters of the law school's health law program, as well as national experts in health law. Concluding with a strong student note bearing witness to the great capabilities of our health law students, this first issue sets a high standard for the issues to come and the *Indiana Health Law Review*.

We close with hearty congratulations to the student staff, Executive Board of Editors, and Editor-in-Chief of Volume 1 of the *Indiana Health Law Review*. And thank you.

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