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**SPECIAL SESSION OF COURT ON FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2022 FOR A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR
THE HONORABLE LOWELL A REED, JR.**

The Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania invite attorneys to attend a Special Session of the Court for a Memorial Service for the Honorable Lowell A Reed, Jr. on **June 3, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. in Courtroom 11-A** in the James Byrne Courthouse at 601 Market Street, Philadelphia. A reception will follow the Special Session.

Judge Reed served as a judge in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania from 1988 until his death in April, 2020. He became a senior judge in 1999. Judge Reed served in the United States Navy as a Lieutenant Commander of Naval Intelligence before he graduated from the Temple University Beasley School of Law in 1958. Judge Reed was in private law practice and was elected to serve on the Abington School District Board of School Directors. He also served as an elder of the Abington Presbyterian Church. Judge Reed was also an educator, teaching at Temple University and serving on the faculty advisory board of The Academy of Advocacy at Temple University, from 1989 to 2020.

Judge Reed was instrumental in founding the Temple American Inn of Court. The Temple American Inn of Court is the first Inn chartered in Pennsylvania and was named, in part, after the Middle Temple Inn of London. In 1990, Temple University Law School Dean Robert Reinstein approached Judge Reed, Ed Edelstein and others in the hope of forming an Inn modeled after the English training grounds for young barristers. These discussions led to the founding of the Temple American Inn of Court. Judge Reed served as the first President of the Temple American Inn of Court. In its over 30 years of existence, the Inn has made a distinguished contribution to the American Inns of Court movement.

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