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RESOLUTION

On April 3, 1985 William Pledger Smith died in Nashville at the age of 90 years after a long, distinguished career as a lawyer in Nashville and after important service in Chicago with a large insurance company in suretyship and bonding in which he became expert. In recent years he lived in Nashville and maintained an office in Lafayette, Macon County.

He was a member of the American Bar Association, the Tennessee Bar Association, the Nashville Bar Association, the Seven County Bar Association, the International Association of Insurance Counsel. He was a 32nd degree Mason.

In his early practice he maintained an office in the Stahlman Building in Nashville and was in 1930 the Chief Deputy Clerk of the United States District Court.

Mr. Smith was a native of Macon County, Tennessee and a son of William Allen and Eddie Pledger Smith.

He was a graduate of the former Ogden College in Bowling Green, Kentucky and the former Cumberland University Law School in Lebanon, Tennessee.

He was survived by his wife, the former Elizabeth Malone and a brother Howard A. Smith, Lafayette, Tennessee.

Funeral services were held in Nashville and burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Nashville.

Be it resolved by members of the Nashville Bar Association on November 20, 1986 that this Memorial be adopted and preserved in its records and that a copy be delivered to his wife.

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