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Introduction

Welcome to Volume Thirty-Seven of the Pepperdine Law Review! I am delighted to introduce you to our special issue *The Justices Speak: Reflections*. In the past two years, Pepperdine has been honored to host five Supreme Court Justices: Chief Justice Roberts, Justice Scalia, Justice Thomas, Justice Alito, and retired Justice O'Connor. Some of their conversations with our student body—and with their esteemed panelists—are included in this extraordinary issue. We are thankful to the Justices for their willingness to take part in this issue and for their continued friendship with the Pepperdine family.

We also pay tribute to retired Justice Armand Arabian of the California Supreme Court in this special issue. Justice Arabian remains a close friend of the Pepperdine School of Law family, and we are honored to publish his essay on the Sexual Assault Counselor-Victim Privilege—a cause for which he has long labored, and admirably so.

Finally, the issue would not be complete without returning to the focus of our great institution—the students. Ashley Verdon, a third-year student, brings us an intriguing application of constitutional principles to an increasingly digitized world.

We do hope you enjoy.

Warm regards,

J. Matt Williams

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