Schedule of Activities

Thursday, October 3, 1985

7:30 a.m. - Registration
5:00 p.m. Foyer outside of Delaware Room

8:30 a.m. Welcoming Remarks
"Duke Thomas, President of the Ohio State Bar Association


10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Introduction
"David A. Myers, Associate Professor of Law, Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana.

10:30 a.m. Keynote Address: "The Architecture of Public Policy"
"Heidi E. Hart, Charles F. Curtiss Distinguished Professor in Agriculture and Professor of Economics, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.

11:15 a.m. "Structural Issues in U.S. Agriculture and Farm Debt Perspectives"
"C.B. Baker, Professor of Agricultural Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Illinois.

12:00 noon Luncheon

Introduction
"James E. Hecks, Professor of Law, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

Presidential Address: "Agricultural Credit and the Uniform Commercial Code: A Need for Change?"
"Keith G. Meyer, Professor of Law, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.

1:15 p.m. "Is the Agricultural Security Interest Legally Healthy?"
"David A. Landor, Husch, Eppenberger, Donahue, Elson, & Corneil, St. Louis, Missouri.

1:45 p.m. "A Practicing Lawyer's Look at the Farm Operator in Financial Trouble"

2:30 p.m. Break

2:45 p.m. "Local Land Use Controls Will Not Save Agricultural Lands"
"Orlando E. Delegu, Professor of Law, University of Maine, Portland, Maine.

3:15 p.m. "Agriculture and Environmental Regulations - New Limits on Property?"
"Gerald Torres, Professor of Law, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

3:45 p.m. "Soil Subsidies, and Subsidizing: Recent Legislative Proposals for Soil Conservation"
"Linda A. Malone, Assistant Professor of Law, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

4:15 p.m. Questions for the Panel

5:00 p.m. Reception

6:30 p.m. Delaware Room
Friday, October 4, 1985

7:30 a.m. - Breakfast Discussion Groups (Franklin Room)
A. Law Teachers - Topic: "Perspectives on the Basic Survey Course in Agricultural Law"
   A. Claudia G. Allen, North Carolina State University
   A. Drew L. Kershner, University of Oklahoma
   A. Donald R. Pederson, University of Arkansas
   A. George H.T. Spring, Plymouth Polytechnic, Plymouth, England

   A. J. Michael Sprott, Director of Ohio Cooperative Extension Service, The Ohio State University
   A. Dr. Wallace Barr, Professor Emeritus, The Ohio State University
   A. C. Allen Bock, Professor of Agricultural Law, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Illinois

C. Practitioners - Topic: "Providing Legal Services to Farmers in Financial Distress"
   A. Larry A. Bakken, Professor of Law, Hamline Law School
   A. Catherine F. Haukedahl, Special Assistant Attorney General, Minnesota Office of the Attorney General
   A. Phillip L. Kunkel, Horatske, Dillon, and Kunkel, Hastings, Minnesota
   A. James T. Massey, Litigation Director, Mid Minnesota Legal Assistance

9:00 a.m. "Estate Planning in an Era of Declining Values" (Delaware Room)
   A. Paul L. Wright, Associate Professor of Agricultural Law, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

9:30 a.m. "Transfer of the Farm Business: Planning for Nonfarm Heirs" (Delaware Room)
   A. C. Allen Bock, Professor of Agricultural Law, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Illinois

10:15 a.m. Break

10:30 a.m. "Transition from a Common Law Property System to a Marital Property System: Effect on Farm Estate Planning" (Delaware Room)
   A. Philip E. Harris, Assistant Professor of Agricultural Economics and Law, University of Wisconsin at Madison, Wisconsin.

11:00 a.m. "Estate Planners' Accountability in the Representation of Agricultural Clients" (Delaware Room)
   A. Gerald F. Johnston, Professor of Law, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri.

12:00 noon Luncheon (Franklin Room)

Introduction
A. Max Lennon, Vice President for Agricultural Administration, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

"The Legal Profession Serving the Family Farm of Tomorrow"
A. William Richards, President, Richards Farm, Inc., Circleville, Ohio.

1:15 p.m. "Biotechnology - Prospects and Perspectives" (Delaware Room)
   A. Dr. E.G. Jaworski, Director of Biological Science, Distinguished Science Fellow, Monsanto Company, St. Louis, Missouri.

1:45 p.m. "Confidential Business Information vs. The Public's Right To Know - Biotechnology at the Interface" (Delaware Room)
   A. Stanley H. Abramson, Associate General Counsel, Pesticides and Toxic Substances Division, United States Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C.

2:15 p.m. Break

2:30 p.m. "The Impact of Biotechnology on Agriculture" (Delaware Room)
   A. Michael S. Untracht, Vice President and General Counsel, Cetus Corporation, Emeryville, California.

3:00 p.m. "Biotechnology: Can a New Technology Survive in Today's Governmental Environment?" (Delaware Room)
   A. M. Wayne Withers, Assistant General Counsel, Monsanto Agricultural Products Company, St. Louis, Missouri.

3:30 p.m. Questions for the Panel (Delaware Room)

4:00 p.m. Conference Adjourns