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# The Honourable Frank Iacobucci appointed to the Board of Directors of IC Savings

**TORONTO, ON**, November 28, 2019 – IC Savings is pleased to announce the appointment of The Honourable Frank Iacobucci, CC, QC, LLD, LSM, to its Board of Directors. An esteemed member of the Canadian legal community, Mr. Iacobucci has had a distinguished career in private practice, academia, government and the judiciary.

“Whether as a teacher, scholar, administrator or jurist, Mr. Iacobucci has shown exemplary leadership throughout his professional career, as well as a singular focus on public service that inspires us,” says Sam Ciccolini, Board Chair. “We are deeply honoured that Mr. Iacobucci will bring his thoughtful perspective, experience and knowledge to our boardroom table, and it is with much respect and admiration that I welcome him as a director of our credit union.”

“I am especially impressed by the community-oriented mission of IC Savings and its outstanding record of contributing to the growth and betterment of communities,” says Mr. Iacobucci, currently Senior Counsel at Torys LLP. “I am both delighted and honoured to be appointed to the credit union’s board.”

Mr. Iacobucci began his legal career in 1964 as a lawyer at a large and prominent New York firm, where he practised corporate and securities law. In 1967, he returned to Canada to pursue an academic career at the University of Toronto. During the following 18 years, he taught at the Faculty of Law, and served as the faculty’s Dean from 1979 to 1983 and as the university’s Vice-President and Provost from 1983 to 1985.

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In 1985, Mr. Iacobucci entered public service when he was appointed Deputy Minister of Justice and Deputy Attorney General for Canada. Soon after, in 1988, he was appointed a Chief Justice of the Federal Court of Canada, and three years later, a Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada – the first native-born British Columbian to be called to the top court. After retiring from the bench in June 2004, he returned to the University of Toronto as Interim President.

He joined Torys LLP, the Canadian international business law firm, in September 2004 and has advised and acted as a mediator or facilitator for the federal, Ontario and municipal governments and various agencies on a broad range of files, some of which have been particularly high-profile and challenging.

A Companion of the Order of Canada, Mr. Iacobucci has received numerous awards, honours and recognition in Canada, the United States, England and Italy, including the *Commendatore dell'Ordine al Merito della Repubblica Italiana*.

### **About IC Savings**

IC Savings is an urban community credit union with eight branches in the west GTA. Opened in 2000 as Italian Canadian Savings & Credit Union, its focus is to bring co-operative banking, with a passion for community development, to the neighbourhoods it serves. Visit [www.icsavings.ca](http://www.icsavings.ca) to learn more.

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