## **Candidate Statement**

I have served as (1) both secretary and president of the District's Bar and chaired its governing board, (2) represented the Bar and the Section of Legal Education in the House and (3) served on the ABA Board of Governors. In none of those roles did I feel that the challenges the ABA faced were as grave as those it faces today. Clearly, thoughtful review and strategic intervention by the Board of Governors and House maybe warranted I am confident that my past service to the Bar and the ABA, combined with my relationships with hundreds of engaged ABA members, have prepared me to assist in identifying and implementing creative solutions for future success.