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Oakland Attorney Priscilla Camp to Receive Lifetime Achievement Award

(Oakland, CA) - Legal Assistance for Seniors is pleased to announce the presentation of its Lifetime Achievement Award to attorney Priscilla Camp at a luncheon on Friday, October 23, 2009. The award will be presented by the Hon. Carol A. Corrigan, Associate Justice of the California Supreme Court.

Camp is a pioneer Elder Law attorney and was a founder of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys in 1988. She is a 1977 graduate of Golden Gate University School of Law and the senior partner in Camp Rousseau Montgomery LLP, a four-attorney Elder Law firm in the east bay. Her expertise in nursing home issues, conservatorship and capacity determinations is widely recognized. She is also a founder of Women Lawyers of Alameda County, having served as President twice, and of Bay Area Lawyers for Individual Freedom. Camp is also a former Executive Director of Legal Assistance for Seniors.

Legal Assistance for Seniors (LAS) was established in 1976, and provides free legal services to the Alameda County senior community. Program services include Elder Abuse protection, Guardianships, Consumer Rights, Immigration and Health Law as well as Community Education. LAS is also the parent agency for Alameda County's Health Insurance, Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP).

The theme of the event honoring Priscilla Camp is "Serving Seniors Never Gets Old." The luncheon is the annual fundraising event for Legal Assistance for Seniors and will be held at the Silver Dragon Restaurant at 8th and Webster in Oakland, from Noon to 2:00 p.m. Raffle prizes include a one-week stay in Hawaii.

Belva Davis, host of KQED's "This Week in Northern California" will serve as Mistress of Ceremonies.

To inquire about sponsorship or to request an invitation to the event, please contact LAS at (510) 832-3040.

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