

William B. Chandler III was appointed Chancellor of the Delaware Court of Chancery in 1997, where he had served as Vice Chancellor since 1989. He also served as Resident Judge of the Delaware Superior Court from 1985 to 1989. He received law degrees from the University of South Carolina School of Law and the Yale Law School and his undergraduate degree from the University of Delaware. Before his appointment to the Court, Chancellor Chandler was an associate with Morris, Nichols, Arsht & Tunnell and he served as Legal Counsel to former Governor Pete duPont. The Chancellor taught commercial law, legislative process, and remedies for two years at the University of Alabama School of Law. He is presently a member of the American College of Business Court Judges, the American Law Institute, the Delaware Bar Association and a Trustee of the University of Delaware's Center for Corporate Governance. The Chancellor has served as an Adjunct Professor at Widener University School of Law, and he frequently teaches and lectures at other law schools across the country, including the University of Pennsylvania, Ohio State, Vanderbilt and Washington University School of Law. In addition, he often speaks and participates as a panelist at conferences on corporate law and corporate governance issues.

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