## SOLON C. SOTERAS HAS BEEN APPOINTED COMMISSIONER OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION

January 31, 2006

At its January 10, 2006 meeting the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors unanimously approved the appointment of Solon C. Soteras to the Economy and Efficiency Commission.

Commissioner Soteras, a resident of Westlake Village, CA, is currently a pension fund consultant with Comerica Securities. Over his career he has had a distinguished 40 year career as a banker with Ahmanson Bank, California Overseas Bank and the Imperial Bank. He has also served as President of the Beverly Hills Bankers Association and the Beverly Hills Chamber of Commerce. In addition, Commissioner Soteras was formerly a Trustee of the California State Teachers Retirement System and served as Trustee of the Los Angeles County Board of Investments.

The Economy and Efficiency Commission has twenty-one members. Each of the five members of the Board of Supervisors appoints four commissioners to the Commission for a two-year term which may be extended by reappointment. The previous year's Grand Jury Foreperson is appointed by the Board as the Commission's 21st member. Created in 1964, the Commission is charged with reviewing all aspects of local government management, operations and policies. It submits recommendations directly to the Board of Supervisors with the objective of improving the economy, efficiency and effectiveness of local government. The members of the Commission offer their time to the County on a voluntary basis and serve without pay.

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