
NATIONAL COUNCIL
ON FAMILY RELATIONS

June 29, 2006



Dear NCFR Member,

Mr. Michael Benjamin, NCFR's Executive Director, announced his retirement on June 26, 2006 prior to the Board of Directors' regular summer board meetings. His retirement was accepted by the Board of Directors and was effective that same day. Mr. Benjamin stated in his letter to the Board that he is exceedingly pleased with NCFR's accomplishments and achievements. The Board thanked him for his service to NCFR and wishes him well in his retirement.

Ms. Dawn Cassidy, longtime NCFR staff member, was named immediate acting Executive Director. With the help of an organizational consultant, the Board is formulating a plan for this period of transition that includes a thorough assessment of NCFR's strengths and needs. The consultant will then assist in the preparation for a national search for a new Executive Director. The Board will regularly update NCFR's members on our progress, and invite your comments and questions at any time.

Regards,

NCFR Board of Directors



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