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As stated by Prof. Luce López-Baralt “the University of Puerto Rico is not dead,” and the *Journal* is an example of the hard work and determination that has made her statement possible. Our work has been continuously directed toward meeting the expectations of the Faculty, our fellow classmates, and the University as a whole.

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For volumes to come, the University of Puerto Rico can rest assured that the *Journal*, with a deep sense of pride, will continue to be faithful to its mission of promoting and protecting fair economic growth through the study and analysis of the Law.

With the utmost gratitude and appreciation,

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