

MEMORANDUM TO: Article 9 Drafting Committee

FROM: Steven L. Harris and Charles W. Mooney, Jr.,
Reporters

DATE: October 29, 1997

RE: Materials for Drafting Committee Meeting,
November 14-16, 1997, Chicago

Enclosed is the October, 1997, Draft. With certain exceptions, it has been marked to reflect changes from the Reporters' Interim Draft dated August 7, 1997.

Please review the Reporters' Introductory Note. It indicates the status of the "simplification" effort and Reporters' Comments and explains the conventions used in the Draft.

As you will see from the enclosed Tentative Agenda, we plan to discuss a large number of topics, some of which remain from the meeting last March, and some of which were raised in the transmittal memorandum ("Selected Open Issues") accompanying the August Draft.

In addition to the Draft and the Tentative Agenda, we have enclosed the following:

1. Memorandum dated October 12, 1997, from Professor Jean Braucher.
2. Memorandum dated September 3, 1997, from Professor Fred H. Miller.
3. Memorandum dated October 1, 1997, from Task Force on Secured Transactions, American Bar Association Committee on the Law of Commerce in Cyberspace.
4. Letter dated June 19, 1997, from Thomas S. Hemmendinger.
5. Letter dated September 23, 1997, from John L. Gilbert.
6. Letter dated October 28, 1997, from Jerry Rudd.
7. Memorandum dated October 25, 1997, from Harry C. Sigman.

We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

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