

**CANADIAN CANON LAW SOCIETY
55th ANNUAL CONVENTION
OCTOBER 25-28, 2021
PROPOSAL I
HONORARY MEMBERSHIP CCLS
FATHER LADISLAS ÖRSY, S.J.**

WHEREAS according to the By-Laws of the Society, “honorary members shall be those who are recommended by the Executive Board and approved by the members at a General Assembly. This status can be given to a person who has given exceptional service to the Society or to canon law.” (By-Law 1, art. 5);

AND WHEREAS 2021 marks the thirtieth anniversary of Father Örsy’s membership in the CCLS;

AND WHEREAS Father Örsy’s teaching and scholarship, over many decades, have contributed to a better understanding of the role of canon law in the life of the Church and the ecclesial vocation of canon lawyers;

AND WHEREAS the Society has already recognized Father Örsy’s distinguished and exceptional contribution to the field of canon law by bestowing the Jean Thorn Canon Law Award of Merit in 2006;

AND WHEREAS Father Örsy’s one hundredth birthday, celebrated on July 30, 2021, provides an appropriate occasion to bestow such an honor;

BE IT RESOVED THAT

Father Ladislav Örsy, S.J. be recommended for honorary membership in the Canadian Canon Law Society in recognition for his exceptional service to canon law.

MOVED BY: Executive Board

Rev. Michael Fahlman (President)

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Sr Louise Charbonneau, sco (Secretary/Treasurer)

SECONDED BY

Mr. Gerald Herkel

Signed in Ottawa, Ontario on October 27, 2021