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MINUTES OF THE REGIONAL MEETING
of the
SOCIETY OF ACTUARIES

HELD AT THE HOTEL DEL CORONADO
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
APRIL 17-18, 1986

The meeting commenced on Thursday, April 17, 1986, at 8:30 A.M. The following is a summary of attendance at the meeting.

SUMMARY

Fellows	618
Associates	226
Others	<u>86</u>
Total	<u>930</u>

The meeting convened at 8:30 A.M. in one open forum, four panel discussions, and six workshops.

A "New Associates' Workshop" was also held at 8:30 A.M. under the sponsorship of the Committee on Professional Development.

After a brief recess, the meeting reconvened at 10:30 A.M. in four panel discussions, and five workshops.

A luncheon was held at 12:15 P.M. for all registrants of the meeting. After the luncheon, President Richard S. Robertson welcomed those attending the meeting and recognized those seated at the head table.

President Robertson recognized the individuals responsible for this special topic meeting on "Employee Benefits": Vice-President Walter S. Rugland; Program Committee Chairperson John B. Yanko, Vice-Chairperson and Overall Meeting Coordinator Phyllis A. Doran and members of that committee; and the Section and Committee liaison representatives.

President Robertson recognized all of the program participants—both Society members and those who were not members of the Society.

President Robertson next recognized and welcomed the new Fellows and Associates who were attending their first meeting of the Society since attainment of their present ranks.

President Robertson recognized the individuals attending this meeting from countries other than the United States and Canada.

President Robertson recognized 50-year Fellow James B. Gardiner, F.S.A., 1935.

President Robertson advised that the Society had received word of the

deaths of sixteen members since the last annual meeting. Those in attendance at this meeting observed a moment of silence in respect for the memory of these members. Obituaries are printed in this volume of the *Transactions*.

President Robertson introduced Dallas L. Salisbury, President of the Employee Benefit Research Institute, who gave the keynote presentation on "Employee Benefits Policy: Where Are We Headed?"

The meeting reconvened at 2:00 P.M. in three open forums, one panel discussion, and ten workshops.

After a brief recess, the meeting reconvened at 3:30 P.M. in two open forums, two panel discussions, one open workshop, and five workshops.

On Friday, April 18, 1986, the meeting reconvened at 8:30 A.M. in three open forums, three panel discussions, and nine workshops.

After a brief recess, the meeting reconvened at 10:30 A.M. in three open forums, four panel discussions, and one workshop.

A luncheon was held at 12:15 P.M. honoring new Fellows attending their first meeting of the Society since attainment of Fellowship. Before the luncheon, brief remarks were presented by President Robertson and President-Elect Ingraham. Following the luncheon, Barbara J. Lautzenheiser, Past President of the Society of Actuaries, addressed the audience.

Luncheon session, open forum, panel discussion, open workshop and workshop topics, and the names of participants for this meeting are printed in the *Record*, Volume XII, Number 1.

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Secretary