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ILENE E. SHAPIRO, a partner with Grund & Leavitt, P.C., has distinguished herself practicing in the field of family law for over thirty-five years, both on the trial court and appellate court levels. Ms. Shapiro advocates for her clients vigorously and skillfully to ensure a just result, but also with the utmost compassion. It is her goal to ease the process of divorce and to effectively advocate for her clients' interests in a dignified manner. Ms. Shapiro has been named an Illinois Leading Lawyer for 2004 through 2015 and an Illinois Super Lawyer for 2006 through 2015. She was listed in the Top Ten Women Divorce Lawyers in Illinois by Leading Lawyers Network for 2015.

She won the Corporate LiveWire Attorney of the Year Award for 2015 in Family Law in Chicago, Illinois. She has received the honor of an A.V. Rating from Martindale-Hubbell. She is a fellow of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, having served a two-year term as President of the Illinois Chapter. She has also held various other offices in the Illinois Chapter, including President Elect, Vice-President and Secretary. She served on the Illinois Chapter's Board of Managers for many years. Prior to that, she served as counsel for the Illinois Chapter. Ms. Shapiro is a member of the Illinois State Bar Association and Lake County Bar Association.

Ms. Shapiro has authored and co-authored numerous publications on various family law topics. She has lectured for the Chicago Bar Association, Illinois Chapter of the AAML, Illinois C.P.A. Society, Illinois Institute of Continuing Legal Education, Professional Education Systems and Chicago Kent – IIT Law School.

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