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2024 Annual Distinguished Merit Award Dinner

*HONORING
PHILIP CHRISTOPHER
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(PSEKA)*

And

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**Friday, November 15, 2024, 6:30 pm
The Union League Club
38 East 37th Street
New York City**

Sponsorship/Dinner Form Honoring Philip Christopher
Friday, November 15, 2024 6:30 PM Union League Club New York

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☐ Other contribution _____

Program book 9 ½" by 5 ½"

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☐ Dinner Ticket \$350 per person ☐ Young Professional/Student Ticket \$200 ☐ Dinner Table
(10 persons) \$3,500

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Philip Christopher

Founder, President & CEO

American Network Solutions, LLC

Philip Christopher is President and CEO of American Network Solutions, LLC, a firm providing special strategic consulting services to companies in the telecommunications industry and beyond.

American Network Solutions acts as the bridge between American and foreign companies providing a comprehensive suite of services to aid in the importing and exporting of products and services. The services include consulting, exporting and importing, manufacturing opportunities, warehousing, fulfillment, software upgrades, sales and marketing, government funding and more.

Prior to founding American Network Solutions, Mr. Christopher was most recently President and CEO of Personal Communications Devices, LLC, a privately held corporation that served as a global gateway between wireless technology partners and service providers throughout North and South America. Under Mr. Christopher's leadership, PCD revolutionized the way wireless products come to market. Product planning and development on multiple platforms, technical testing, quality control along with marketing and warranty support were among the many offerings provided by PCD that differentiated it from other industry suppliers.

Mr. Christopher brings a wealth of experience to his role at American Network Solutions. He joined Audiovox Corporation in 1970 and was instrumental in launching Audiovox Communications Corp., (ACC) in 1992 where he served as President and CEO. In 2000, ACC formed a joint venture with Toshiba and was then acquired by UTStarcom in 2004. With this acquisition, UTStarcom Personal Communications Division was formed where, as President and CEO, Mr. Christopher is credited with growing the division's revenues and profits to record levels. Then, in July 2008, Mr. Christopher spearheaded a management buyout of UTStarcom Personal Communications Division and created Personal Communications Devices, LLS.

In the 40 years Mr. Christopher has been involved in the wireless industry, he has worked with every top carrier in North and South America. He is responsible for bringing many recognizable brand manufacturers to the Americas including Toshiba, LG, HTC, Pantech, Samsung, Casio and Sharp. Additionally, he has served as a member of the White House Economic Council (1992-1996) and as a member of the CTIA Executive Board for many years. Mr. Christopher brings his experience as a C-level executive to the numerous Boards on which he serves including the Board of Directors of the CTIA Wireless Foundation while remaining on the Board of Directors of the New York Hospital Medical Center of Queens, Vox International Corporation and the Atlantic Professional Soccer League. As President of the New York Pancyprian Freedoms, he has spearheaded the team to seven National Championships.

Philip Christopher has been the leader of the Greek Cypriot community and has dedicated 50 years of his life to the struggle of the Cypriot people for Freedom and Justice.

As founder and President of the Pancyprian Association of America for 50 years and the International Committee "Justice for Cyprus" (PSEKA), he has spared neither time, effort nor money to support justice. A highly respected community leader and well known on Capitol Hill for his efforts for the Cyprus cause and all Hellenic issues for his unparalleled commitment, dedication and valuable services, he has been honored and received many prestigious awards. In Cyprus he was honored by:

The Republic of Cyprus – Medal of Honor; Kyrenia Municipality of Cyprus – Honorary Mayor

Athienou Community of Cyprus – Honorary citizen; Asgata Community of Cyprus – Honorary President

In the United States he was the first Greek Cypriot to receive the prestigious “Ellis Island Medal of Honor” and he is Archon-Lambadarios of the Order of St. Andrew. He is the recipient of keys to the following cities: New York, San Francisco, Detroit, Clearwater and Tarpon Springs.

He has been honored by prestigious American organizations including:

AHI	Federation of Hellenic Societies	The National Herald
AHEPA – Socrates Award	of New York	New York Hospital
American Jewish Congress –	Greek Children’s Fund	New York Mets
Athens Wishner Award	Greek Independence Grand	Pancyprian Association of
American Jewish Committee	Marshal:	America – Freedom Award
Cyprus Brotherhood of	New York 2010, Detroit 2011	Pancyprians of Florida
Philadelphia	Tarpon Springs	Pancyprians of Washington, DC
Cyprus Culture Association of	2024,Philadelphia 2024	St. Demetrios Community of
Chicago	HANAC	Astoria
Cyprus Federation of America	HALC	United Hellenic American
Cyprus Special Olympics	Hellenic Medical Society	Congress
Chian Federation – Homeric	Lampousa Cypriot Society	
Award	Lions International Foundation	

Philip is happily married for 54 years to his beautiful wife Chrysoulla and they have a son Nick Christopher, Esq.