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ABOUT THE TERRI AND NICK LETICA AWARD:

The Letica Award was first established by the Access Justice Brooklyn Board of Directors in 2001 to recognize leaders who have dedicated themselves to the promotion and expansion of pro bono service in an effort to create equal access to justice for all.

AWARD RECIPIENT:



Steven L. Zelkowitz, an independent energy consultant and attorney, is President of Utility Technology Solutions, LLC, which seeks to develop innovative technological solutions particularly applicable to the gas and electric utility industry. After a 20 year career in private practice representing utilities and energy companies, he joined KeySpan Corporation, serving in a variety of positions as general counsel, chief administrative officer and group president. In 2009, he retired as executive vice president for generation, business development and energy supply for National Grid USA, where he had been responsible for

the operation and financial performance of National Grid's electric generating fleet; asset and corporate development activities in the United States; and management of energy procurement and related derivative transactions for National Grid's U.S.- based businesses.

Steve currently is a member of the National Board of Governors and the National Executive Council of the American Jewish Committee, where he serves as Chair of the Budget Committee. He also serves on the Board of Trustees of Brooklyn Law School and is immediate past chair of its Finance Committee. Steve served as a member of the Board of Directors of Access Justice Brooklyn for 24 years, joining in 1999 and retiring in 2023, and chaired its Investment Committee from 2014 - 2020. His longstanding leadership helped steer and shape the organization, propelling the advancement of Access Justice Brooklyn's mission and pioneering pro bono model. A lifelong New Yorker, he currently resides in Manhattan. He is a graduate of New York University and St. John's University School of Law.