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STATEMENT BY LEGISLATOR JACQUES O. D'I. MICHEL ON THE PASSING OF NEW YORK STATE SENATOR THOMAS P. MORAHAN

New City, NY (July 15, 2010) - Thomas P. Morahan was Rockland's statesman, and everyone's hero. Tom was on the front lines of every battle for the people he served, and advanced socio-politico-economic freedom in New York State, Rockland County, and particularly Spring Valley, which I represent in the Rockland County Legislature. Above all, Tom will be remembered as a man who won the respect and admiration of all those he came across.

His loss is Rockland's loss. Moving forward, we must pass on the baton of his legacy to the next generation of Rocklanders - a legacy of service before self, of good government before good politics. Throughout the time I knew him, he gave me nothing but encouragement and support, and I will miss him as a friend and a mentor. I am honored to have fought many battles alongside our statesman Thomas Morahan throughout the years.

To Tom Morahan's family, I wish strength and comfort to them with the words of the prophet Isaiah: "The Lord will be your everlasting Light and your days of sorrow will end."

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