## **RACING IN THE DECADE OF THE '90s**

Richard L. Duchossois, Chairman, Arlington International Racecourse Ltd.

Richard Duchossois is the founder and Chief Executive Officer of Duchossois Industries, which is owned by Mr. Duchossois and his four children. The company is a diversified manufacturing and service organization, headquartered in Elmhurst, Illinois.

A native of Chicago, he has spent his entire business and professional careers in this area and has made Chicago the headquarters for his various enterprises.

The principal operating subsidiaries of Duchossois Industries are Thrall Car Manufacturing Company, a major designer and manufacturer of railroad freight cars; Transportation Corporation of America, a major lessor of capital goods equipment including freight cars; Chamberlain Manufacturing and Chamberlain Technology Companies, manufacturers and developers of ordinance and other strategic items for government and civil uses; Chamberlain Consumer Products, manufacturer of electronic products for household and business; Duchossois Communications Company, owner and operator of radio and television stations; and Arlington International Racecourse Ltd. and Quad City Downs.

Mr. Duchossois graduated from Morgan Park Military Academy and was attending Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Virginia, when he was called to active military service. Having served in five European campaigns, he was awarded various citations and released from active service as a Major in 1946.

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## PLANNING FOR CHICAGO'S 21ST CENTURY

David R. Mosena, Commissioner, Department of Planning, City of Chicago

David Mosena was appointed Commissioner of Planning for the City of Chicago by Mayor Richard M. Daley, in April of 1989. The Department of Planning has responsibilities for numerous projects that span the city addressing issues such as land use, urban design, long range transportation policy, neighborhood capital facilities and demographic projections. The department is directing planning efforts for the downtown circulator transportation system, preparing city-wide industrial and commercial plans and is engaged in more than a dozen specific neighborhood revitalization efforts. The Department of Planning also manages the zoning review and approval process for the Chicago Plan Commission and is the city's development authority for the downtown area.

As Commissioner of Planning, Mr. Mosena serves as secretary to the Chicago Plan Commission and is a member of the Chicago Commission of Historical and Architectural Landmarks, the Economic Development Commission, the Commercial District Development Commission and the Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission.

Mr. Mosena joined the Chicago Planning Department as Deputy Commissioner in 1984. Previously, he served as Director of Research for the American Planning Association. He holds a B.S. in economics and an M.S. in city planning from the University of Tennessee and is a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners and the Urban Land Institute.

## CHICAGO TRIBUNE : GROWING WITH A GREAT CITY

Jack Fuller, Vice President and Editor, Chicago Tribune

Jack Fuller, editor of the *Chicago Tribune*, received his B.S. degree in journalism from Northwestern University in 1968 and his J.D. degree from Yale Law School in 1973.

His service in the United States Army included a year as a Vietnam correspondent for *Pacific Stars and Stripes.* From 1973-75 he was a general assignment reporter for the *Chicago Tribune.* He then joined the U.S. Department of Justice in Washington, D.C. as the Special Assistant to the Attorney General and continued in this position for two years. He returned to the *Chicago Tribune* and worked for a year as a Washington correspondent. Subsequently he came back to Chicago as an editorial writer. In 1982 he was appointed editorial page editor and named five years later the executive editor. In 1989 he became vice president and editor.

Additionally, Mr. Fuller is the author of five novels: *Convergence*, 1982 (Cliff Dwellers Award, 1983); *Fragments*, 1984 (Friends of American Writers Fiction Prize, 1985); *Mass*, 1985; *Our Fathers' Shadows*, 1987; and *Legends' End*, published in Great Britain in 1990. In 1979 Mr. Fuller was the recipient of the American Bar Association Gavel Award and in 1986 he was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for editorial writing.

Mr. Fuller is a member of the American Bar Association, American Society of Newspaper Editors and The Society of Midland Authors.

## FOOD FOR THE 21ST CENTURY: AGRICULTURE IN ILLINOIS

W. Reginald Gomes, Dean, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Meeting the challenge of change during the next twenty years at the College of Agriculture at the University of Illinois is a major priority of Dean "Reg" Gomes. A distinguished scholar who has co-edited five books and authored or co-authored more than 100 book chapters, review articles and papers, Dean Gomes has also accumulated an enviable record as an administrator. He has played a key role in a college building program at the University of Illinois that includes facilities for agricultural engineering, animal sciences, biotechnology and plant science programs.

He holds a bachelor's degree from California Polytechnic State University, a master's degree from Washington State University and a Ph.D. from Purdue University. Before coming to the University of Illinois he was on the faculty of Ohio State University.

Dean Gomes's academic career, which saw him become one of the leading authorities on animal reproduction, coincided with rapid change in dairying. Two overseas stints-in 1974 as a Fulbright-Hays Distinguished Traveling Professor at the College of Medicine at the University of Zagreb, Yugoslavia; and in 1980 as a visiting scholar at Japan's Kyoto University-provided a broader view of the increasing role of international factors in U.S. agriculture. He has since represented the University of Illinois in Canada, Egypt, France, Greece, Kenya, Pakistan and the Soviet Union.

## CHANGES IN EASTERN EUROPE: THE IMPACT ON CHICAGO

**Thomas H. Miner**, President, The Mid-America Committee for International Business and Government Cooperation, Inc.

Recognized since the 1960s as a leader in international relations, Tom Miner is founder and chairman of The Mid-America Committee for International Business and Government Cooperation, Inc. Midwest members are comprised of major multinational companies in manufacturing, service, finance, agribusiness, and insurance. An active member in many internationally-oriented business and philanthropic organizations he became one of the first members of the National Council for United States-China Trade in 1973.

The *Chicago Tribune* recently reported that Mr. Miner has been traveling to the Soviet Union bimonthly for more than a year: "He operates a restaurant near Red Square and says he has options to lease and renovate twenty-two buildings nearby for rental to Western firms seeking office space."

Among his many pursuits, Mr. Miner has been a member of the executive committee of the National Export Expansion Council and chairman of its Action Committee on Trade and Investment in Developing Countries; is past president and director of the International Trade Club of Chicago and is past chairman of the United Nations Association of Chicago and Illinois.

After attending the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, he received his B.A. in economics from Knox College and his J.D. from the University of Illinois College of Law.