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INTRODUCTION OF PROFESSOR JOSEPH L. SAX
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We in North Carolina are concerned over our environment, even though we do not have the acute environmental problems of many of our neighboring states. Our abundant natural beauty and largely unspoiled condition could become endangered if we were to drop our environmental guard.

We are honored to have with us tonight the leading authority on environmental law in the United States, Mr. Joseph L. Sax. Mr. Sax is a law professor at the University of Michigan Law School where he has written a number of books and articles dealing with the environment. He received his undergraduate degree from Harvard College and his law degree from the University of Chicago Law School. He is licensed to practice law in Michigan and before the United States Supreme Court.

Professor Sax was the driving force which lead to the enactment of environmental legislation in the State of Michigan, and that very same legislation was used as the model for legislation now pending on the federal level.

It is with great pleasure that I introduce to you such a distinguished lawyer and educator.