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ICCFA Managing Editor Susan Loving Retires After 20 Years of Service

STERLING, VA (June 12, 2019) – The board and staff of the International Cemetery, Cremation and Funeral Association (ICCFA) announce the retirement of managing editor Susan Loving. Loving will retire in July 2019 after 20 years with the association, after which time the position of editorial director will be filled by Tatia L. Gordon-Troy, Esq. of Ramses House Publishing, LLC.

Loving started with the ICCFA in July 1999 after working as a reporter and editor for several family-owned newspapers. After becoming the managing editor, her skills expanded to include graphics and page productions for all 10 issues of the magazine. Loving's strong work ethic, passion for developing high-quality content, and genuine interest in the deathcare profession and the people who are called to it, showed in each issue of the ICCFA Magazine she brought to press. Loving could be found at each ICCFA Annual Convention & Expo interviewing first-timers and long-time members alike, photographing the Expo Hall and breakout sessions, and collecting the content for post-Convention coverage issue.

Tatia L. Gordon-Troy, Esq., founder of Ramses House Publishing, LLC, is an attorney and publisher that has over 15 years of experience with association publications. She is an experienced editor and works with a design team to create magazines and newsletters that serve each association's individual needs.

"The ICCFA Magazine would not be what it is today without Susan's exceptional writing and editing skills," says ICCFA Executive Director Nadira Baddeliyanage. "Many of our members have interacted with Susan on some level during her time here at the ICCFA, whether through interviews or interacting with her at the Annual Conventions. We are sad to see Susan retire, but wish her all the best as she begins this new chapter in her life. While filling Susan's shoes is not an easy task, Tatia and her team at Ramses House Publishing are looking forward to the challenge."

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Founded in 1887, the International Cemetery, Cremation and Funeral Association is the only international trade association representing all segments of the cemetery, cremation, funeral and memorialization profession. Its membership is composed of more than 9,100 rooftop locations and 20,000 professionals in the cemetery, funeral home and crematory industries, as well as supplier and related businesses worldwide.