



# HELLENIC FEDERATION

of New Jersey

## *Thirteenth Annual Awards Gala*

**The President, Peter Stavrianidis, Ph.D**  
*and the Board of Directors of the Hellenic Federation of New Jersey*  
*Will be Honoring*

**PAN GREGORIAN ENTERPRISES, INC.**

and

**P.G.E.I. OF AMERICA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, INC.**

*With the*

*Alexander the Great*  
*Community Service Award*

and

**GEORGE A. TSOUGARAKIS, ESQ.**

*Alexander the Great*  
*Lifetime Achievement Award*

## *Presentation of Scholarship Awards*

*Sunday, June 7, 2026*

**The Graycliff Manor**

*122 Moonachie Avenue . Moonachie, New Jersey 07074*

*Cocktails 6:00 PM • Dinner 7:00 PM*

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**Dinner Ticket \$150 per person**    **Dinner Table (10 persons) \$1500**    **Young Hellenes/Student Ticket \$50**

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ tables \_\_\_\_\_ tickets

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**paying by check: Kindly make checks payable to: Hellenic Federation of NJ  
 Mail to: Nikitas Tampakis, Treasurer  
 PO Box 15086 Philadelphia, PA 19130**

\* The Federation is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization.

**Signature:.....**



## *Pan Gregorian Enterprises, Inc.*

**PAN GREGORIAN ENTERPRISES, INC. (PGE)** is a restaurant /diner cooperative. It was established in 1983 as a food service cooperative to serve the independently owned restaurant industry in New Jersey.

While the PGE concept started in New Jersey, through its success, it quickly expanded to other markets to include **Metro New York, Long Island, Upper New York, Connecticut, Maryland, North Carolina and South Carolina.**

PGE was established with just one goal in mind, to assist the independent restaurant/diner owner by negotiating the lowest cost and ensuring the highest quality of the food served and the supplies used by its members. In addition to this, PGE is helping the independent operator in lowering costs and increasing profits through direct negotiations, as a combined force, with suppliers and manufacturers.

**Pan Gregorian Enterprises, Inc. of New Jersey** is comprised of 320 Stockholders and 800 Associate Members, all of which are working together for their common good. It is an organization that is managed and operated by its own members. The Board of Directors is elected from the membership and each member is an independent operator.

**Currently, there are over 500 programs which have been specifically designed to develop new and existing opportunities for the PGE members.** Our organization strives to secure for its members the same benefits franchises have enjoyed for years. It also creates a logical start for many vendors to introduce new products and services for our members. We have proven time and again that with cooperation and understanding, every independent operator can achieve a successful advantage over the ever-increasing competition.

Pan Gregorian Enterprises, Inc. is located in Kenilworth, New Jersey



## P.G.E.I of America Charitable Organization, Inc.

The Foundation was formed by the late George M. Manolios in 1985 as the “Charitable Arm” of Pan Gregorian Enterprises, Inc. It was legally recognized by the state of New Jersey as P.G.E.I. of America Charitable Foundation, Inc. in 1987. The foundation’s charitable activities underline the gratitude of Pan Gregorian’s membership to their patrons and the general public for supporting their diners and restaurants over the years.

Since its inception the P.G.E.I. Foundation has focused on easing the pain and suffering of children, especially those suffering with cancer and heart disease. the foundation has succeeded over the years in donating over \$2,500,000 to organizations such as:

Metropolis of New Jersey	Deborah Hospital – Heart and Lung Center
St. Basil’s Academy	W.T.C. relief fund – Victims of 9-11
Cyprus Children’s fund	Pan Epirotic Federation of America,
Ronald McDonald House	Canada and Australia
JTCC Hackensack University Medical Center Foundation	Rutgers University
Tomorrow’s Children’s Fud at Hackensack Hospital	Earthquake Victims
Greek Children’s Fund at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center	B’nai B’rith Foundation
	St. Michael’s Home for the Aged
... and Other Charitable Causes.	

The Foundation’s contributions are raised through its Annual Charity Banquet, souvenir journal, raffles, concerts and coin boxes at Pan Gregorian Enterprise’s member locations. It is only through the dedication of the Foundation’s Trustees and the much-appreciated support of Pan Gregorian Enterprise’s members, vendors and friends that the Foundation has been able to succeed.



George A. Tsougarakis

George A. Tsougarakis serves as General Counsel of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, where he advises the Archbishop, the Holy Eparchial Synod, and Archdiocese, including its Metropolises and parishes, on matters of law, governance, and compliance. In this role, he oversees a broad range of legal and administrative issues affecting the Archdiocese and its ministries throughout the United States, helping to guide the Church through complex legal, organizational, and pastoral challenges while safeguarding its institutions for future generations.

A graduate of Bucknell University and the University of Pennsylvania Law School, Mr. Tsougarakis spent the first 35 years of his legal career in private practice at the global law firm of Hughes Hubbard & Reed, where he developed extensive experience in litigation, insurance coverage, and internal investigations. His work included the representation of major institutions and the resolution of complex legal disputes, all while doing extensive pro bono work for Orthodox and Hellenic interests. Over the course of his career, he has combined a commitment to professional excellence with a deep dedication to service.

Mr. Tsougarakis has long been active in the Greek Orthodox community and in organizations that promote Hellenic culture and heritage. He is a long-time parish council member, including two terms as President, at his home parish of St. John the Theologian in Tenafly, New Jersey, where he also served as director and teacher at the Sunday School, member of the Greek School Board of Education, AHEPA and a Regional Commander of the Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate. Through his work with the Archdiocese, he has contributed to strengthening the Church's ministries, protecting its charitable mission, and supporting the faithful across the country. His efforts reflect a belief that the institutions of the Greek Orthodox faith and the broader Hellenic community must be preserved, strengthened, and passed on to future generations.

He lives in New Jersey with his wife, an accomplished attorney herself, Eva Poneris, who has insured that he and their children Kira and her husband Orlando Economos, and Andoni and his bride Eva Hryssomallidis, remain deeply committed to faith, family, and the enduring values of the Hellenic and Orthodox traditions.