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Obituary – Claire Waters Ferguson (USA)

It is with regret and sorrow that the ISU learned of the death of ISU Honorary Member, former ISU Council member and ISU Judge, Mrs. Claire Waters Ferguson who passed at 88 years old.

Mrs. Ferguson served as an ISU Judge for the Singles and Pairs disciplines at numerous competitions from 1996 to 2005. In 1992, she became the first female president of an ISU Member federation, the United States Figure Skating Association. Two years later, she became the first American woman elected to the ISU Council where she served for 8 years before becoming an ISU Honorary Member.

Mrs. Ferguson will be missed by the Skating community and will be remembered for her contributions and dedication. We are truly grateful for all she did for the ISU Sports.

The ISU pays tribute to Mrs. Claire Waters Ferguson and will remember her with affection.

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