Association of Professional Engineers

of the

Province of Manitoba

Merit Award

to

GLENN WILLIAM SWIFT

B.Sc., (Elec.), M.Sc., Ph.D., P. Eng.

Glenn Swift was born in Athabasca, Alberta, and completed his B.Sc. degree with High Distinction and the Gold Medal in Electrical Engineering in 1953 and proceeded to get his industrial experience first as an Athlone Fellow with Metropolitan Vickers and then as a Design Engineer with Canadian Westinghouse.

In 1960 Glenn was granted the M.Sc. degree by the University of Alberta assisted by a Queen Elizabeth Scholarship following which he started his association with the University of Manitoba, where he has been a full professor since 1972.

From 1963 to 1968 Glenn worked towards his Ph.D. degree with an award from the Ford Foundation Fellowship and the Ph.D. degree was granted by the Illinois Institute of Technology in 1968.

Glenn became registered as a Professional Engineer in 1958 in Alberta and transferred his membership to the Association of Professional Engineers of the Province of Manitoba in 1960 where his service has included a term of office on Council.

While pursuing his academic career, Dr. Swift has been professionally involved with 16 enterprises as a consultant or researcher. He has served as a senator of the University of Manitoba and as a member of the Canadian Accreditation Board. Dr. Swift is credited with 19 referred journal papers, 16 conference papers and six reports. His work has brought in thirty research grants.

This outstanding scholarly achievement has been complemented by excellence as a teacher. Dr. Swift has been selected four times as "best professor" by the graduating class in Electrical Engineering. In 1983 he was selected as "best professor" in graduate courses. In 1983 and 1984 he received the Saunderson Award for excellence in teaching.

In recognition of his outstanding career as scholar and educator, the Association's Merit Award is conferred on Dr. Glenn Swift.