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Judge Lawrence F. Stengel (Ret.) Discusses Independent Reconciliations and Reparations Program on Hughniverse

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Judge Lawrence F. Stengel (Ret.), Chair of Saxton & Stump's [Internal Investigations practice](#) and CEO of [Optimal Dispute Resolutions](#), recently joined national radio talk show host and political commentator Hugh Hewitt as a guest on his show, Hughniverse.

During the conversation, Stengel addressed questions about how the Independent Reconciliations and Reparations Program (IRRP) has worked with victims who have leveled claims of abuse against the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. The interview covers the following topics on the matter:

- Leadership of the Independent Oversight Committee by Ken Feinberg and Camille Biros
- The process and protocol adopted
- Scope and number of claims that require review and deciding
- Potential for the Philadelphia IRRP to serve as a model for archdiocese across the nation
- Progress of the IRRP's efforts to date

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