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*Whereas, Scott A. Patrick was born September 12, 1975, to Ron and Sandy Patrick;*

*Whereas, After growing up in the Wheatfield area, Scott graduated from Kankakee Valley High School with an academic honors diploma;*

*Whereas, Scott attended the University of Southern Indiana (USI) on an academic and carpenter's scholarship;*

*Whereas, While attending the University of Southern Indiana, Scott was a founding member of the Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity and continued his sports career as a starter for the rugby team and a participant in intramural sports;*

*Whereas, While attending USI, Scott met Melissa Clark, whom he married in July 2000;*

*Whereas, In January, 2000, Scott began his career as an Indiana State Police Trooper, starting the Academy on January 23 and graduating on June 23;*

*Whereas, Upon graduation, Scott was assigned to the*



*Lowell Post, and Melissa and he moved to Valparaiso;*

*Whereas, Trooper Scott A. Patrick loved his job and strove to be the best trooper he could be;*

*Whereas, However, as much as he loved being a trooper, he loved his family more;*

*Whereas, At the time of his death, Scott had just learned that he was going to become a father; he beamed with pride at the mention of fatherhood;*

*Whereas, Scott's child will never know the wonderful man who was to become his father because Scott gave his life protecting the citizens of Indiana; and*

*Whereas, Scott was a unique human being who touched the lives of everyone he came in contact with, and his death leaves an enormous void in the lives of many people: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly  
of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to express  
2 its deepest sympathy to the family of Trooper Scott A. Patrick and  
3 urges the Indiana department of transportation to rename the section of  
4 State Road 10 between Demotte and Wheatfield in honor of Trooper  
5 Scott A. Patrick.

6           SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the  
7 Secretary of the Senate to Scott's wife, Melissa; his parents, Ron and  
8 Sandy; his brothers, Jamie and Sean; and his sister, Dawn.

