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*Whereas, after graduating from the University of Missouri-Columbia in 1961, Bruce Melchert attended law school at the Columbia and Kansas City campuses of the University of Missouri and at Indiana University-Indianapolis;*

*Whereas, Mr. Melchert served for fourteen years as the Executive Vice President of the Tau Kappa Epsilon International Fraternity. He began his career in government by serving as the Administrative Assistant to United States Congressman William H. Hudnut;*

*Whereas, after his appointment as the Deputy Mayor of Indianapolis, Mr. Melchert served as Chairman of the Marion County Liquor Board and the Indiana Republican State Central Committee Chairman;*

*Whereas, Mr. Melchert enlisted in the United States Army for a total of eight years, serving in both active duty and reserve status. At the time of his honorable discharge, he had earned a promotion to First Lieutenant;*

*Whereas, placing a premium on involvement in his*



*community, Mr. Melchert sits on the Board of Directors of many organizations: American Heart Association, Indianapolis Affiliate; City Market; Columbia Club; HealthNet Foundation; Indiana Political Education; Indianapolis Holidays Committee, Inc.; Junior Achievement of Central Indiana; Near North Development Corporation; TKE Educational Foundation; and the Tri-County Mental Health Foundation;*

*Whereas, for his dedication and hard work, Mr. Melchert has received numerous awards and honors, including a Sagamore of the Wabash from Governor Bowen and Governor Orr, the President's Award presented by HealthNet, and an award in 2002 from the Indiana Public Health Foundation; and*

*Whereas, since 1986, Mr. Melchert has been the Vice President of Government Affairs for Clarian Health Partners, Inc.–formerly Methodist Hospital of Indiana, Inc. After a distinguished career, he is retiring this year: 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 hereby  
2 recognizes the outstanding career and the many community  
3 contributions of Bruce Melchert and honors him upon his retirement.

4           SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to  
5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Bruce and Jeanne Melchert.

