**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE THE HONORABLE ROBERT W. HANCOCK, UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT AS A LEE COUNTY MAGISTRATE, AND TO COMMEND HIM FOR MANY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO OUR STATE, AND TO WISH HIM CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

Whereas, with great pleasure the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives honor individuals who give tirelessly of themselves for the benefit of the citizens of this great State; and

Whereas, beginning his service as a Lee County magistrate in August of 1978, the Honorable Robert W. Hancock stands notably among those who provide outstanding service to South Carolina’s judiciary system; and

Whereas, after thirty‑two years of faithful service in the magistrates court, the Honorable Robert W. Hancock began a much‑deserved retirement on March 1, 2010; and

Whereas, he and his beloved wife, Cindy, a retired legal secretary, reared three fine children, who have blessed them with one of life’s crowning joys, several adoring grandchildren; and

Whereas, although he plans to continue his career as a fertilizer and chemical representative, he will have more time to enjoy his wonderful grandchildren and the pond he built to indulge his favorite pastime of fishing; and

Whereas, having made his mark, the Honorable Robert W. Hancock will be remembered with gratitude and affection by his colleagues and friends for years to come. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, congratulate the Honorable Robert W. Hancock, upon the occasion of his retirement as a Lee County magistrate, and commend him for many years of dedicated service to our State, and wish him continued success and happiness in all his future endeavors.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to the Honorable Robert W. Hancock.

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