**A** **CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

TO CONGRATULATE TIM KEOWN OF ANDERSON COUNTY ON BEING NAMED 2010 OUTSTANDING YOUNG AGRICULTURAL EDUCATOR IN SOUTH CAROLINA BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL EDUCATORS.

Whereas, the General Assembly is pleased to learn that Tim Keown, a faculty member at Crescent High School in Iva, has been named the 2010 Outstanding Young Agricultural Educator in South Carolina by the South Carolina Association of Agricultural Educators; and

Whereas, the award was presented to Mr. Keown at a special recognition ceremony held on July 20, 2010, at Clemson University, where he earned his bachelor’s and master’s degrees in agricultural education and where he is presently in his second year of that institution’s Education Leadership Doctoral Program; and

Whereas, previously, he had been recognized by WYFF‑TV in Greenville with its Golden Apple Award and by Crescent High School as its 2010 Teacher of the Year; and

Whereas, in addition, under Tim Keown’s leadership with fellow advisor Roger Estridge, the FFA Club at Crescent has won several state honors, including the State Chapter of the Year award in 2009. Mr. Keown was recognized as FFA South Carolina Advisor of the Year in 2009, as well; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper for the members of the General Assembly to pause in their deliberations to commend and congratulate Mr. Tim Keown for receiving this well‑deserved honor. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

That the members of the South Carolina General Assembly, by this resolution, congratulate Tim Keown of Anderson County on being named 2010 Outstanding Young Agricultural Educator in South Carolina by the South Carolina Association of Agricultural Educators.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be provided to Tim Keown.

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