**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND THE HONORABLE LAURIE SLADE FUNDERBURK FOR HER DEDICATED SERVICE AS CHAIR OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY WOMEN’S CAUCUS.

Whereas, the South Carolina House of Representatives is pleased to note that the Honorable Laurie Slade Funderburk, chair of the South Carolina General Assembly Women’s Caucus, has served with distinction in that post for three years, 2010‑2012; and

Whereas, as chair of the Women’s Caucus, Laurie Funderburk has upheld the constitution of the State of South Carolina and the bylaws of the South Carolina General Assembly Women’s Caucus; and

Whereas, under her leadership, the caucus has held statewide luncheons for all elected and appointed female officials, the honorees at these highly anticipated events being women in the arts and philanthropy. In addition, caucus membership has increased, the visibility and mission of the caucus has been enhanced, and the caucus’s educational scholarship program has expanded; and

Whereas, in her capacity as a House member for Kershaw County, Representative Funderburk currently serves as a state director of Women in Government. She also serves as treasurer of the House Ethics Committee and sits on the House Judiciary Committee, where she serves on the Family and Probate Laws Subcommittee. For eight years, she has given committed service to the citizens of South Carolina, most particularly the people of Kershaw County; and

Whereas, the House of Representatives, grateful for her consistent philosophy of excellence, takes great pleasure in applauding the Honorable Laurie Slade Funderburk for her three years of faithful service as chair of the South Carolina General Assembly Women’s Caucus. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, recognize and commend the Honorable Laurie Slade Funderburk for her dedicated service as chair of the South Carolina General Assembly Women’s Caucus.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be provided to the Honorable Laurie Funderburk.

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