**A** **SENATE RESOLUTION**

TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR PALMETTO AUTOMATIC SPRINKLER COMPANY, INC., FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE IN OUR STATE AND TO CONGRATULATE THE MILL FAMILY AND THE PASCO TEAM FOR FORTY YEARS OF PROTECTING THE LIVES AND THE RESOURCES OF OUR CITIZENS.

Whereas, the members of the South Carolina Senate are pleased to learn that Palmetto Automatic Sprinkler Company, Inc., (PASCO) will celebrate forty years of outstanding service to residents of the Palmetto State on April 30, 2015; and

Whereas, the Southeast’s leader in automatic sprinklers and fire suppression systems, PASCO was founded in 1975 by the Mill family in West Columbia and has expanded its operation to Charleston and Atlanta, Georgia; and

Whereas, since its inception, PASCO has completed over three thousand successful installations, serving organizations throughout the Southeast region of the United States; and

Whereas, while it remains a family‑owned, private business today under the direction of W. S. “Scotty” Mill, the company is now licensed for operations in the states of Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and Tennessee; and

Whereas, honored with the Boeing Safety Award in 2011, PASCO takes pride in offering outstanding service in a very timely fashion, including projects for the state’s tallest office building, the largest hospital, and the largest distribution facility under one roof in South Carolina; and

Whereas, PASCO offers automatic fire sprinkler system design, installation, and service, as well as maintenance, inspection, and testing of all automatic fire sprinkler systems; and

Whereas, the company also inspects and maintains fire alarms and fire suppression systems, including Halon, FM‑200, CO2, Inergen, Novec 1230, Water Mist, and Foam; and

Whereas, included in their services are special hazards and chemical extinguishing and the service and inspection of fire alarms, as well as consultation pertaining to all these products; and

Whereas, with forty years of experience and a professional team, PASCO designs projects in accordance with code and implements and builds those projects to save the lives of citizens and to protect their valuable investments; and

Whereas, PASCO owner, Scotty Mill, and his beloved wife, Susan, are active and faithful members of Mount Horeb United Methodist, seeking with God’s help to raise their sons, Harrison and Spencer, “in the nurture and admonition of the Lord”; and

Whereas, the South Carolina Senate is grateful for the forty years of service with integrity that PASCO has provided to the citizens of the Palmetto State and for the significant contribution the company has made in providing jobs, goods, revenue, and stability to its community. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate:

That the members of the South Carolina Senate, by this resolution, recognize and honor Palmetto Automatic Sprinkler Company, Inc., for outstanding service in our State and congratulate the Mill family and the PASCO team for forty years of protecting the lives and resources of our citizens.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to W. S. “Scotty” Mill.

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