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HR 1031

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5 By: Representative Eaves

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 TO HONOR THE CAREER OF EULOIS GLENN BARTLETT AND TO
9 RECOGNIZE HER MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF
10 ARKANSAS.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 TO HONOR THE CAREER OF EULOIS GLENN
15 BARTLETT AND TO RECOGNIZE HER MANY
16 CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

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19 WHEREAS, Eulois Glenn Bartlett was born July 25, 1928, in Poughkeepsie,
20 Arkansas, and graduated valedictorian from Poughkeepsie High School in 1946;
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23 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett earned her bachelor's degree from the University
24 of Arkansas at Monticello and her master's degree from the Arkansas State
25 Teachers College, now the University of Central Arkansas; and

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27 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett also pursued her doctorate in speech and special
28 education, completing all requirements with the exception of her
29 dissertation, from the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville; and

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31 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett is certified as a kindergarten through twelve
32 (K-12) teacher, an educational examiner, a special education administrator, a
33 speech therapist, and a special education teacher; and

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35 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett was particularly drawn to special education
36 after having a daughter with physical and mental disabilities; and



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2 WHEREAS, in 1951, Mrs. Bartlett began her teaching career in Evening
3 Shade, Arkansas, where she taught grades one through six (1-6) before
4 entering special education; and

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6 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett's thirty-four-year teaching career led her to
7 positions in Cave City, Wynne, Watson Chapel, and Searcy, Arkansas; and

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9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett served as an instructor for speech therapy and
10 special education at the University of Central Arkansas, during which she
11 trained many new professionals entering the field; and

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13 WHEREAS, in 1962, Mrs. Bartlett started the first county-wide speech
14 therapy program in Jefferson County, Arkansas; and

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16 WHEREAS, in 1963, Mrs. Bartlett was a leader in an early association in
17 Arkansas designed to assist persons with disabilities; and

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19 WHEREAS, in the early 1960s, Mrs. Bartlett was an active advocate for
20 statewide legislation concerning the education of students with mental and
21 physical disabilities; and

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23 WHEREAS, in 1975, Mrs. Bartlett became the first special education
24 director for the Searcy School System, and under her direction the program
25 grew from two (2) special education classes to nineteen (19) special
26 education classes in Searcy and in the smaller surrounding areas; and

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28 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett served as President of the Arkansas Association
29 of Special Education Administrators during the 1990-1991 school year; and

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31 WHEREAS, Mrs. Bartlett was voted the Administrator of the Year in 1991
32 by the Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators; and

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34 WHEREAS, in 1993, Mrs. Bartlett retired from teaching,

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36 NOW THEREFORE,

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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4 THAT the House of Representatives recognize Mrs. Eulois Glenn
5 Bartlett's hard work and dedication as a tireless advocate for students with
6 disabilities throughout the State of Arkansas and commend her for her
7 service.

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9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption of this resolution, an appropriate
10 copy be provided to Mrs. Bartlett by the Chief Clerk of the House of
11 Representatives.

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