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HOUSE RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO MRS. HELEN SWESEY FOR HER
DEDICATED SERVICE TO PAST SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES AND TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES DURING THE PAST TWENTY YEARS.

WHEREAS, Mrs. Helen Swesey, secretary to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, resigned on January 9, 1987; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Swesey served as secretary to every Speaker of the House of Representatives since 1967 and prior to that time was an employee of the Arkansas Senate; and

WHEREAS, throughout her many years of service as secretary to the Speaker, Mrs. Swesey always served not only the Speaker but all members of the House of Representatives in a most efficient, courteous and gracious manner; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated, courteous and professional manner in which Helen performed her duties earned her the highest respect, admiration and love of the many members of the Arkansas House of Representatives and of the members of the House staff who had the pleasure of knowing and working with her during her twenty years of service to the House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, her knowledge of and experience with House policies, procedures and practices and her untiring willingness to assist members of the House in carrying out their responsibilities as legislators made Helen a most valuable asset to the many Speakers she served and to all members of the House of Representatives she served during her long tenure as secretary to the Speaker of the House; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Helen Swesey is an outstanding example of a capable, dedicated, hardworking and willing public servant and is deserving of public commendation and appreciation for her many years of public service,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

The House of Representatives and the individual members of the House who have had the pleasure of working with Mrs. Helen Sweeney in past years, and especially the former Speakers of the House whose duties as Speaker would have been much more arduous but for Helen's willing and able assistance, hereby express sincere appreciation to Mrs. Helen Sweeney for her twenty years of loyal and dedicated service to the Arkansas House of Representatives and express sincere best wishes to her for many years of healthy and happy life.