

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

URGING STATE AGENCIES TO REDUCE PRINTING AND PUBLICATION COSTS OF BROCHURES, REPORTS AND OTHER LITERATURE PREPARED BY SUCH AGENCIES BY USING LESS EXPENSIVE PAPER AND REPRODUCTION METHODS.

WHEREAS, state's revenues have failed to increase at the projected levels during the current biennium and consequently it has been necessary to cut back government expenditures for various agencies and programs; and

WHEREAS, the cost of producing various brochures, reports and other literature prepared by state agencies has become a significant part of the budgets of several agencies; and

WHEREAS, despite the current severe shortage of funds, several state agencies continue to cause brochures, reports and other literature prepared by the agencies to be produced for distribution on expensive slick paper and by expensive printing processes; and

WHEREAS, many of such brochures, reports and other literature prepared by the state agencies are for limited or temporary use and the publication thereof on expensive slick paper by expensive printing processes is not justified,

NOW THEREFORE,

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

The General Assembly hereby sincerely urges the various state agencies to refrain from publishing brochures, reports and other literature of the respective agencies on expensive slick paper and by expensive printing processes and instead to use mimeograph and other less expensive paper and less expensive duplicating methods when feasible.