

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

COMMENDING MR. MARCUS HALBROOK FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF  
DEDICATED PUBLIC SERVICE AND WISHING HIM MANY YEARS OF  
HEALTHY AND HAPPY RETIREMENT.

WHEREAS, Wm. Marcus Halbrook, Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research and Executive Secretary of the Legislative Council, retired on December 31, 1987; and

WHEREAS, Marcus Halbrook began his career as a member of the staff of the Legislative Council in 1949 and served as Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research and Executive Secretary of the Legislative Council since 1953; and

WHEREAS, during his long and illustrious career, Marcus Halbrook has earned and received the highest respect and admiration of hundreds of members of the General Assembly, State constitutional officers, and other officials and employees of the legislative, executive and judicial branches of State government; and

WHEREAS, the respect and admiration Marcus Halbrook has earned throughout his career has been due not only to his exceptional knowledge of the Constitution and laws of the State, but his unusual ability to objectively analyze and interpret the Constitution and laws in a fair and impartial manner; and

WHEREAS, Marcus Halbrook's professionalism, his vast experience and almost limitless knowledge of government and politics in Arkansas and his unselfish willingness to share his experience and knowledge with others have made him an exceptionally valuable public servant; and

WHEREAS, Marcus Halbrook's retirement represents a great loss not only to all members of the General Assembly, but to all State agencies and institutions and to all Arkansans,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THIRD EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

The members of the House of Representatives and the Senate hereby express sincere appreciation to Marcus Halbrook for his many years of dedicated service to the State and especially for the very professional, competent and accommodating manner in which he has served the members of the Arkansas General Assembly.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the House of Representatives and Senate hereby extend sincere best wishes to Marcus Halbrook for many years of healthy and happy retirement.