

SENATE RESOLUTION

TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE CONTRIBUTION TO EDUCATION MADE BY ROBIN BOLES ELLIS OF CAMDEN, AND TO HONOR HER AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL TEACHERS IN THE STATE FOR BEING CHOSEN AS THE 1988 ARKANSAS TEACHER OF THE YEAR.

WHEREAS, Robin Boles Ellis has taught English, speech and drama at Fairview High School for the past eight years; and

WHEREAS, she has enhanced her ability to serve her school district and students through membership in organizations such as the Arkansas Council of Teachers of English, Arkansans for Gifted and Talented Education and the Arkansas Speech Association, and through continuing her studies with a master's degree and additional courses; and

WHEREAS, she will continue her studies this summer with a Hindman Fellowship; and

WHEREAS, she has distinguished herself in the teaching profession by being selected for membership in Alpha Chi and Delta Kappa Gamma and being awarded the P.T.A. Lifetime Membership Award; and

WHEREAS, she has further served her school and community through involvement in her community theatre group and church; and

WHEREAS, she was recently selected to serve as a representative for her fellow teachers as the 1988 Arkansas Teacher of the Year.

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS,

That this body does hereby commend and praise the work and dedication of Robin Boles Ellis to her chosen profession and wishes her the best of luck in the national Teacher of the Year competition.