

1 **State of Arkansas**

2 **78th General Assembly**

3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**

**S.M.R.**

4 **By: Senators Lewellen, Howell, C. Bell, Moore, Wilson, Canada, Bookout,**

5 **Jewell, Russ, Dowd, Gibson, Miles, Bradford, Yates, Scott, Beebe, Walters,**

6 **Cassady, Gordon, Hardin, Hoofman, Chaffin, Malone, Harriman, Fitch,**

7 **Luelf, Bearden, Hopkins, S. Bell, Edwards, Pagan, Ross, Everett, Snyder and Todd**

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10 **SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION**

11 IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF FORMER SENATOR PAUL B. BENHAM,  
12 JR., AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS INVALUABLE SERVICE TO THE  
13 STATE OF ARKANSAS AND TO HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

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16 WHEREAS, Mr. Paul B. Benham, Jr., of Marianna, Arkansas, a former member  
17 of the Arkansas Senate, died on Friday, November 22, 1991; and

18 WHEREAS, Senator Benham served with distinction as a member of the  
19 Arkansas Senate from 1973 through 1990 and was selected by his peers and  
20 served as President Pro Tem of the Senate in 1986; and

21 WHEREAS, during his tenure in the Senate, Senator Benham earned and  
22 received the highest respect and admiration of his colleagues in the Senate  
23 and all others who had the privilege and pleasure of working with him; and

24 WHEREAS, Senator Benham was not only an outstanding Senator, he was  
25 active in community and civic affairs, having served on various State and  
26 local boards and commissions, and his keen insight and total dedication was  
27 invaluable not only as a Senator but as a member of the various boards and  
28 commissions; and

29 WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that this body memorialize former  
30 Senator Paul B. Benham, Jr., for his invaluable service to the State of  
31 Arkansas and to his community,

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33 NOW THEREFORE,

34 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE  
35 SEVENTY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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That this Resolution is adopted in respectful memory of Senator Paul B. Benham, Jr., and in recognition and appreciation of his dedicated and invaluable service to the State of Arkansas and to his community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon adoption of this Resolution, the Secretary of the Senate shall transmit a copy hereof to Mrs. Ann Benham, widow of Senator Paul Benham.

