1 State of Arkansas 2 81st General Assembly H.R. 1021 3 Regular Session, 1997 4 By: Representatives Wilkins and McGinnis 5 6 HOUSE RESOLUTION 7 CONGRATULATING RODNEY SLATER ON HIS CONFIRMATION AS 8 SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION AND EXTENDING MR. SLATER BEST 9 10 WISHES FROM THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. 11 **Subtitle** 12 CONGRATULATING RODNEY SLATER ON HIS 13 CONFIRMATION AS SECRETARY OF 14 15 TRANSPORTATION. 16 17 WHEREAS, Rodney Slater, a native of Lee County, Arkansas, has served 18 this state as a past Commissioner with the Arkansas State Highway Commission, 19 and has served the nation having worked the past four years as the Federal 20 Highway Administrator where he did a splendid job; and 21 WHEREAS, Mr. Slaters performance as the Federal Highway Administrator 22 drew praise from Democrats and Republicans on Capitol Hill; and 23 WHEREAS, because of Mr. Slaters academic credentials and his impeccable 24 employment record, President Bill Clinton placed the name of Rodney Slater 25 before the United States Senate to head the United States Department of 26 Transportation; and 27 WHEREAS, Rodney Slater began confirmation hearings to head the United 28 States Department of Transportation on January 29, 1997; and 29 WHEREAS, Mr. Slater greatly impressed the United States Senate and was 30 recently confirmed, with bipartisan support, as the Secretary of the United 31 States Department of Transportation; 32 33 NOW THEREFORE, 34 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FIRST GENERAL 35 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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THAT congratulations be extended to Rodney Slater and his family on his 3 recent confirmation as Secretary of the United States Department of 4 Transportation. 6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the members of the House of Representatives of the Eighty-First 8 General Assembly hereby wish Mr. Slater a productive tenure as Transportation 9 Secretary and wish him the very best in his future endeavors.

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