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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

TO ENCOURAGE THE PUBLIC TO CONTACT THE STATE FIRE
MARSHALL'S OFFICE FOR HOME FIRE SAFETY INFORMATION.

Subtitle

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STATE FIRE MARSHALL'S OFFICE FOR HOME FIRE
SAFETY INFORMATION.

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WHEREAS, Arkansas experienced thirty-two deaths due to home fires the
first seven weeks of 2001; and

WHEREAS, due to this high number of fires and fire fatalities in our
state, educational emphasis must be placed on protection in case of fire; and

WHEREAS, the Arkansas State Police Fire Marshall's Office promotes
awareness through education on how Arkansas citizens can protect themselves
in case of fire; and

WHEREAS, all agree that education is the key to fire safety; and

WHEREAS, free educational materials are available for distribution that
will ensure that Arkansas consumers are aware of the major sources of fire,
materials that burn, early warning devices, and escape plans, as well as home
safety checklists; and

1 WHEREAS, the public is often being solicited to buy fire safety
2 information which may be obtained free.

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4 NOW THEREFORE,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-THIRD GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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8 THAT the U. S. Consumer Product Safety Commissions "Safety for Older
9 Consumers - Home Safety Checklist and Your Home Fire Safety Checklist" are
10 available on request through the State Fire Marshall's Office of the Arkansas
11 State Police and may be obtained in the following manner: by telephone at
12 501-618-8624; by FAX at 501-618-8621; e-mail address is
13 "lfranklin@asp.state.ar.us"; and by mail or in person at Arkansas State
14 Police, #1 State Police Plaza, Little Rock, AR 72209.

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