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8 **SENATE RESOLUTION**

9 COMMENDING THE FORESTRY STUDENTS FROM THE
10 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO ON WINNING
11 THE ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN FORESTRY CLUBS' 2005
12 CONCLAVE COMPETITION.

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14 **Subtitle**

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18 FORESTRY CLUBS' 2005 CONCLAVE
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22 WHEREAS, the forestry students from the University of Arkansas at
23 Monticello continued their winning streak in the Association of Southern
24 Forestry Clubs' Conclave Competition held March 10 - 12, 2005, in
25 Nacogdoches, Texas; and

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27 WHEREAS, the foresters captured the school's 28th Conclave championship
28 in the forty-eight-year history of the event; and the foresters have won the
29 Conclave three (3) times in a row, eight (8) times in the last decade, and
30 seventeen (17) times out of the last twenty-two (22) competitions, which is a
31 remarkable achievement for the smallest university in the competition; and

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33 WHEREAS, the foresters won lopsided victories in both the technical
34 events and physical events and set a Conclave record for the largest overall
35 margin of victory; and the foresters defeated runner-up Stephen F. Austin
36 State University by forty-two and one-half (42 1/2) points in the overall



1 competition, winning the technical events by twenty-two and one-half (22 1/2)
2 points and the physical events by twenty (20) points; and

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4 WHEREAS, the foresters won two (2) technical events and placed in the
5 top three (3) in three (3) more events; David Rowton, a senior spatial
6 information systems major from Fouke, Arkansas, won the photogrammetry
7 competition; and Seth Glaze, a junior forestry major from Camden, Arkansas,
8 won the pole classification event; and

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10 WHEREAS, Michael Gregory, a senior forestry major from Perryville,
11 Arkansas, placed second in timber estimation and eighth in diameter-breast-
12 height estimation; Jason Porter, a senior forestry major from Hope, Arkansas,
13 placed second in wood technology; Jon Budde, a senior wildlife management
14 major from Highland, Illinois, and Bryan Ford, a senior wildlife management
15 major from Monticello, Arkansas, teamed to place third in wildlife
16 identification; Jon Budde also finished sixth in compass and pacing; and
17 Jaret Rushing, a senior forestry major from Pine Bluff, Arkansas, placed
18 fifth in dendrology; and

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20 WHEREAS, the foresters dominated the physical competition, winning
21 eight (8) out of the fourteen (14) events; Jason Porter won three (3) events,
22 including the men's bow saw competition and the log chopping competition, and
23 teamed with Jason Tidwell, a senior forestry major from Pine Bluff, Arkansas,
24 to win the men's crosscut saw competition; and

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26 WHEREAS, Brad Sears, a junior wildlife management major from Des Arc,
27 Arkansas, won the axe throwing competition; Jeff Price, a sophomore forestry
28 major from Heber Springs, Arkansas, won the pole climbing competition; Covy
29 Brown, a sophomore forestry major from Pine Bluff, Arkansas, won the log
30 birling competition and teamed with Bo Apel, a senior SIS major from Holly
31 Grove, Arkansas, to win the chain throwing competition; and Jaret Rushing won
32 the knife throwing competition and placed sixth in the archery competition;
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35 WHEREAS, Chase Davis, a junior business administration major from Pea
36 Ridge, Arkansas, placed third in the pole felling competition and joined

1 Jason Beard, a junior SIS major from Rison, Arkansas, to place fifth in the
2 log rolling competition; and

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4 WHEREAS, Lori Andrews, a junior mathematics major from DeValls Bluff,
5 Arkansas, competed in three (3) events, placing sixth in the women's bow saw
6 competition, teamed with Jason Tidwell in the Jack and Jill Crosscut
7 competition, and teamed with Kimberly Tuttle, a junior forestry major from
8 Star City, Arkansas, for sixth place in the women's crosscut competition; and

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10 WHEREAS, the Senate commends the forestry students from the University
11 of Arkansas at Monticello on winning the Association of Southern Forestry
12 Clubs' 2005 Conclave Competition,

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14 NOW THEREFORE,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE
16 STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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18 THAT the Senate commends the forestry students from the University of
19 Arkansas at Monticello on winning the Association of Southern Forestry Clubs'
20 2005 Conclave Competition.

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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption of this resolution, an
23 appropriate copy shall be provided to the School of Forest Resources of the
24 University of Arkansas at Monticello by the Secretary of the Senate.