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5 By: Senators Wilkins, J. Jeffress, J. Taylor  
6 By: Representative Rainey

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9 **SENATE RESOLUTION**

10 ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
11 TO ASSIST THE PEOPLE OF DUMAS, ARKANSAS.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND  
15 SECURITY TO ASSIST THE PEOPLE OF DUMAS,  
16 ARKANSAS.

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19 WHEREAS, on Saturday, February 24, 2007, a devastating tornado swept  
20 through the town of Dumas, Arkansas, causing injuries to scores of people and  
21 damage to homes and businesses; and

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23 WHEREAS, the tornado has wreaked havoc on Dumas, Arkansas, leaving  
24 people without homes, jobs, and stability; and

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26 WHEREAS, the State of Arkansas responded quickly with aid and  
27 assistance to Dumas, Arkansas; and

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29 WHEREAS, the town of Dumas and Desha County have expended significant  
30 resources to deal with this natural disaster; and

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32 WHEREAS, there are mobile homes sitting empty in Hope, Arkansas, that  
33 could be used for the purpose of housing some of the displaced people in  
34 Dumas, Arkansas; and

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36 WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security could facilitate delivery



1 of these mobile homes, along with other assistance, to the people of Dumas,  
2 Arkansas,

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4 NOW THEREFORE,  
5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE  
6 STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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8 THAT the Senate encourages the Department of Homeland Security to do  
9 all within its power and authority to assist the people and town of Dumas,  
10 Arkansas, as quickly as possible, including delivery of any available mobile  
11 homes and any other available assistance.

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13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption of this resolution, an  
14 appropriate copy shall be provided to the Department of Homeland Security by  
15 the Secretary of the Senate.

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