

HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1029

Introduced by: Representatives Roberts, Boomgarden, Bradford, Cutler, Dennert, Elliott, Faehn, Gassman, Gillespie, Glenski, Glover, Hackl, Haley, Halverson, Hargens, Haverly, Jensen, Koistinen, Kroger, Miles, Nelson, Olson (Ryan), Pederson (Gordon), Peters, Rausch, Schafer, Sebert, Sigdestad, Street, Thompson, Tornow, Van Norman, and Wick and Senators Bartling, Dempster, Duniphan, Hanson (Gary), Hundstad, Kloucek, Kooistra, Lintz, McCracken, McNenny, Moore, Nesselhuf, Peterson (Jim), Sutton (Dan), Sutton (Duane), and Two Bulls

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Commending and honoring Kerry Konda for qualifying for the national Interstate Oratory Competition to be held in Pensacola, Florida, on April 20 through 23, 2006.

WHEREAS, Kerry Konda, son of Frank and Dinah Konda of New Effington, finished in second place in the ND/SD Interstate Forensic Tournament to earn this honor. He will be one of only two competitors representing South Dakota at the national competition; and

WHEREAS, Kerry Konda, a junior at Northern State University, is in his third year of university competition and is a first time national qualifier; and

WHEREAS, Kerry Konda demonstrated clarity, poise, gestures, persuasiveness, eye contact, and voice to earn this honorable recognition:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-first Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Kerry Konda be commended and honored for his collegiate performance that qualified him for the national Interstate Oratory Competition.