

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION, Expressing the Legislature's support and hope for a full recovery for United States Senator Tim Johnson.

WHEREAS, United States Senator Tim Johnson served for eight years as a member of the South Dakota Legislature, from 1979 to 1986, including four years in the House of Representatives and four years in the Senate; and

WHEREAS, Senator Johnson was elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1986 and served for five terms before being elected to the Senate in 1996; and

WHEREAS, Senator Johnson was elected to the United States Senate in 1996 and reelected in 2002. He serves as a member of the Interior Appropriations Subcommittee, the Transportation, Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Subcommittee, the Agriculture and Rural Development Appropriations Subcommittee, and the Energy and Water Appropriations Subcommittee, and he serves as Chairman of the Military Construction and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Subcommittee; and

WHEREAS, Senator Johnson's distinguished career represents a life devoted to serving the people of South Dakota and the entire nation and a life of character and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Senator Johnson is currently hospitalized as he recovers from a sudden and unexpected challenge to his health. The hearts and prayers of all South Dakotans go out to Senator Johnson and his family as they cope with this challenge:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the Eighty-second Legislature of the State of South Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the South Dakota Legislature extends its gratitude to Senator Tim Johnson for his life dedicated to public service, its great desire for his family's comfort and sense of peace at this difficult time, and its sincerest wishes for his complete and speedy recovery from his current illness.

Adopted by the Senate,  
Concurred in by the House of Representatives,

January 22, 2007  
January 24, 2007

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Dennis Daugaard  
President of the Senate

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Secretary of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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