

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 6

Introduced by: Senators Hundstad and Hanson (Gary)

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring the life of Anna Karina Hicks, of Britton, South Dakota, on the occasion of her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday.

WHEREAS, Anna K. Hicks is the loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother to her late husband Stanley J. Hicks of Marvin, South Dakota for fifty years; son Irl Hicks; four grandchildren, Kimberly, Rodger, Kristine, and Kathy; six great grandchildren, Jason, Matthew, Amanda, Alyssa, Pery, and Dana; and

WHEREAS, Anna, born in 1909, is a witness to the history of South Dakota. She is the daughter of two homesteaders from Norway that located near present day Stratford, South Dakota, in 1885 before South Dakota's statehood in 1889; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Hicks has served the State of South Dakota as an educator. Anna started teaching at the age of nineteen in a one room school house and enhanced the lives of countless students and contributed to the strength of her community:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-fourth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Anna Karina Hicks be congratulated on her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday for her unselfish contributions to education and her family, as well as the positive example her life has set for the people of South Dakota.