

HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1018

Introduced by: Representatives Garnos, Abdallah, Adelstein, Bartling, Begalka, Broderick, Brown (Richard), Burg, Clark, Davis, Derby, Duenwald, Duniphan, Elliott, Flowers, Frost, Fryslie, Gillespie, Glenski, Hansen (Tom), Hanson (Gary), Hargens, Hennies (Thomas), Holbeck, Hundstad, Hunhoff, Jaspers, Jensen, Juhnke, Klaudt, Kloucek, Koistinen, Konold, Kooistra, Lange, Lintz, Madsen, McCaulley, McCoy, Monroe, Murschel, Nesselhuf, Olson (Mel), Pederson (Gordon), Peterson (Bill), Peterson (Jim), Pitts, Pummel, Rhoden, Richter, Sebert, Sigdestad, Slaughter, Smidt, Solum, Sutton (Duane), Valandra, Van Etten, Van Gerpen, Van Norman, and Wick and Senators Olson (Ed), Cradduck, Daugaard, de Hueck, Everist, Hutmacher, Kleven, Koskan, Madden, Sutton (Dan), and Whiting

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring the Morgan family athletes past and present who attended Dakota Wesleyan University as one of the most outstanding basketball families in South Dakota history.

WHEREAS, Through the superior leadership and guidance of dedicated coaches, the support of parents and loyal fans, and the Morgans' intense devotion and motivation to excel in the sport of basketball, Wes, Scott, Ronda, Robin, Raven, and Randi Morgan of Mitchell, South Dakota have achieved unprecedented success by scoring more than 10,000 points on the hardwood floor for the Dakota Wesleyan University Tigers; and

WHEREAS, During their basketball careers at Dakota Wesleyan University, Wes Morgan scored 1,429 points from 1987 through 1991, Scott Morgan scored 2,810 points from 1989 through 1993 and was inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame in 2000, Ronda Morgan scored 1,843 points from 1991 through 1994, Robin Morgan scored 1,511 points from 1993 through 1997, Raven Morgan scored 1,302 points from 1996 through 2000, and Randi Morgan, one of Dakota Wesleyan University's nine NAIA All-Americans and GPAC Women's Basketball Freshman of the Year for 2000-2001, scored 1,147 points, bringing the Morgan family total to over 10,000 points and counting:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Seventy-seventh Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Wes, Scott, Ronda, Robin, Raven, and Randi Morgan be recognized and honored for their excellence as one of the most outstanding basketball families in South Dakota history and for scoring more than 10,000 points during their collegiate basketball careers.