

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

A RESOLUTION, Honoring James Abdnor, of Kennebec, South Dakota, upon the occasion of his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.

WHEREAS, James Abdnor was born in 1923 and served in the United States Army during World War II; and

WHEREAS, James Abdnor was elected and served as a member of the South Dakota State Senate for twelve years, from 1956-1968, after which he led the Senate as its President and as Lieutenant Governor of South Dakota from 1969-1971; and

WHEREAS, James Abdnor was elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1973, and served until 1981, when he was elected to the United States Senate, where he served until 1987; and

WHEREAS, James Abdnor has given many years of his life in public service to the citizens of South Dakota, and is celebrating his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday on February 13, 2003:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the Seventy-eighth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that James Abdnor be congratulated upon his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday, and that the South Dakota Senate join his friends and family in extending their best wishes.

Adopted by the Senate,

February 11, 2003

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Dennis Daugaard  
President of the Senate

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Patricia Adam  
Secretary of the Senate