

SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 25

Introduced by: Senators Kloucek, Dempster, Garnos, Greenfield, Hansen (Tom), Hanson (Gary), Heidepriem, Hoerth, Hundstad, Hunhoff, Katus, Koetzle, Maher, Nesselhuf, Smidt (Orville), Sutton, and Two Bulls and Representatives Putnam, Boomgarden, Gassman, Glenski, Howie, Jerke, Kirkeby, McLaughlin, Miles, Moore, Nelson, Nygaard, Olson (Betty), Pederson (Gordon), Rounds, Sigdestad, Thompson, and Vehle

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Recognizing and commending the Kuchen Festival in Delmont, South Dakota.

WHEREAS, the Kuchen Festival is sponsored by the Delmont Historical Society and celebrates the rich cultural heritage and traditional food of the community's German ancestors; and

WHEREAS, the Kuchen Festival will be held on September 13 and 14, 2008, at the Delmont Legion Hall from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. where a kuchen craft fair, quilt show, and soup kitchen will be held and the Pump House Museum will be open in the afternoons; and

WHEREAS, The Kuchen Festival is being held in conjunction with the Old Time Harvest Festival which is sponsored by the Twin Rivers Old Iron Association. The Old Time Harvest Festival will be held on a farm near Delmont from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on September 13 and 14, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the excellent food, fun, and hospitality make these events true South Dakota traditions:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-Third Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Legislature commends the people of Delmont, South Dakota, and the surrounding area for their outstanding traditional Kuchen Festival and invites all South Dakotans to participate in the Kuchen Festival on September 13 and 14, 2008.

