GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA 1985 SESSION RATIFIED BILL

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A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF WILLIAM FRANK REDDING III, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Whereas, William Frank Redding III, was born in Asheboro, North Carolina, on March 11, 1930, the son of William Frank Redding, Jr., and Viola Sanborn; and

Whereas, William Frank Redding III, attended The University of North Carolina from 1948 to 1952 where he lettered in basketball and obtained his nickname "Smoke"; was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and the Honorary Business Scholastic Fraternity; and from which he was graduated with honors with a Bachelor of Science degree; and

Whereas, William Frank Redding III, after serving in the Air Force, starting a family with Joan Sistrunk Redding, and commencing a successful business career, entered politics and was elected to the House of Representatives for the first time in 1973 as a Republican representative from Randolph County; and

Whereas, William Frank Redding III, during his first of four terms in the General Assembly was the sponsor of the bill which enabled married couples to file consolidated rather than individual tax forms, thus saving the State of North Carolina and its citizens untold millions of dollars during the last ten years; and

Whereas, William Frank Redding III, was taken suddenly from his family, friends, and colleagues on December 10, 1983; and

Whereas, it is only fitting and proper that the General Assembly of North Carolina honor the life and memory of Frank Redding;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina honors the life, memory, and service of its former member William Frank Redding III and expresses its gratitude for his service to the people of his district and to the people of North Carolina.

Sec. 2. The General Assembly of North Carolina expresses its deepest sympathy to the family of William Frank Redding III for the loss of this loved one and distinguished citizen.

Sec. 3. The Secretary of State shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the family of William Frank Redding III.

Sec. 4. This resolution is effective upon ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 21st day of May, 1985.