

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 102

Sponsors: Senators Dannelly; Clodfelter, Dorsett, Forrester, Goodall, Graham, Hartsell, Malone, Pittenger, Purcell, Rand, Soles, Swindell, and Weinstein.

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate.

February 12, 2007

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF HERMAN
2 AUBREY MOORE, JR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
3 AND PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE.

4 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. was born on November 11, 1929, in
5 Greenwood, South Carolina, to Herman Aubrey Moore, Sr. and Emmy McConnell
6 Moore; and

7 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. attended the University of North
8 Carolina at Chapel Hill; and

9 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. worked for the American Credit
10 Corporation, a company his father founded before venturing into the automobile
11 industry, where he became the youngest DeSoto dealer in the United States, and later
12 helped develop various residential and commercial projects throughout Mecklenburg
13 County; and

14 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. served with honor and distinction as a
15 member of the North Carolina Senate for five terms between 1964 and 1973; and

16 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. was an outstanding leader during his
17 tenure in the Senate, serving as President Pro Tempore from 1967 to 1969 and as Chair
18 of the Tax Study Commission and Cochair of the Legislative Research Commission;
19 and

20 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. served as a member of the National
21 Legislative Lenders Conference, National Society of State Legislators, North Carolina
22 Education Council on National Purposes, and the Governor's Study Committee on
23 Vocational Rehabilitation; and

24 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. also lent his time and expertise to a
25 number of other organizations, serving as Director of the Charlotte Rehabilitation
26 Hospital, Commissioner of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority, Director of
27 the North Carolina Foundation for Mental Health Research, and as a member of the
28 North Carolina American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, North Carolina
29 Children's Home Society, and the Board of Directors of First Citizens Bank; and

1 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. developed a passion for the great
2 outdoors and became a devoted environmentalist and conservationist in his later years;
3 and

4 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. served as Director of the North Carolina
5 Wildlife Federation, President of the local chapter of Ducks Unlimited, and Director of
6 the national Ducks Unlimited organization; and

7 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. was inducted in the Ducks Unlimited
8 Hall of Fame, honored with a waterfowl preserve and nesting area named for him by
9 Ducks Unlimited, and awarded the title of Conservationist of the Year by the North
10 Carolina Wildlife Commission; and

11 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. was a devoted member of Trinity
12 Presbyterian Church in Charlotte; and

13 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. died on July 31, 2006; and

14 Whereas, Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. leaves to cherish his memory, his wife
15 Martha Ann Tobin Moore; four children, Leslie Moore Sanchez, Herman Aubrey
16 Moore, III, Phillip Craig Moore, and Eric McConnell Moore; four grandchildren; and
17 one great-grandson; Now, therefore,

18 Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:

19 **SECTION 1.** The General Assembly honors the memory of Herman Aubrey
20 Moore, Jr. and expresses the gratitude of this State and its citizens for his life and
21 service to North Carolina.

22 **SECTION 2.** The General Assembly extends its deepest sympathy to the
23 family of Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr. for the loss of a beloved family member.

24 **SECTION 3.** The Secretary of State shall transmit a certified copy of this
25 resolution to the family of Herman Aubrey Moore, Jr.

26 **SECTION 4.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.