Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Monday, the sixth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4062 (Senators W. Stenehjem, Holmberg, DeMers, Mutch, St. Aubyn) (Representatives Kliniske, Poolman, Jensen, Svedjan, Christenson, Glassheim, Brusegaard, Lloyd, Delmore, Nottestad) (Approved by the Delayed Bills Committee)

A concurrent resolution congratulating the University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux hockey team for its outstanding season and its NCAA Division I hockey national championship.

WHEREAS, the University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux hockey team captured the NCAA Division I hockey national championship with a thrilling 6-4 victory over Boston University; and

WHEREAS, the 1996-97 University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux hockey team was cochampion of the Western Collegiate Hockey Association regular season, playoff champion of the Western Collegiate Hockey Association, and the NCAA Division I hockey national champion; and

WHEREAS, the leadership of Coach Dean Blais molded a team of outstanding individual athletes into a cohesive, unselfish team with balanced and explosive offense, unyielding defense, and stalwart goaltending and this team is an exemplar of the proud Fighting Sioux hockey heritage and claimed the sixth Fighting Sioux hockey national championship;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly takes great pride in extending to all members and coaches of the University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux hockey team its heartiest congratulations for winning the 1996-97 NCAA Division I hockey national championship; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State forward enrolled copies of this resolution to each member of the University of North Dakota Fighting Sioux hockey team, to each of their coaches, and to the President of the University of North Dakota, home of the Fighting Sioux.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Filed in this office this ______ day of ______, 1997,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State