

**Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2011**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3020
(Representatives Mock, D. Johnson, Gruchalla, Holman, Kroeber)
(Senator Burckhard)

A concurrent resolution congratulating the North Dakota Highway Patrol on its 75th anniversary.

WHEREAS, the Highway Patrol was created by the 1935 Legislative Assembly, and in 1936 five Highway Police were appointed by the Highway Patrol superintendent; and

WHEREAS, the duty to enforce the provisions of law relating to the protection and use of public highways in this state and the operation of motor vehicles on the highways was expanded to include the enforcement of all criminal laws on highways in 1967; and

WHEREAS, the responsibilities of the Highway Patrol were expanded to include the operation of the law enforcement training center in 1971; and

WHEREAS, all security duties for the Capitol were placed under the direction of the Highway Patrol in 2005; and

WHEREAS, since 1962 the Highway Patrol has provided two troopers to attend the American Legion's North Dakota Boys State as counseling staff; and

WHEREAS, the Highway Patrol and the North Dakota Motor Carriers Association are jointly involved in selecting the trooper of the year and the motor carrier driver of the year;

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

That the Sixty-second Legislative Assembly congratulates the North Dakota Highway Patrol on its 75th anniversary; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution to the Governor, the Superintendent of the Highway Patrol, the state office of the American Legion, and the North Dakota Motor Carriers Association.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2011,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State