Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3020

Introduced by

Representatives Mock, D. Johnson, Gruchalla, Holman, Kroeber

Senator Burckhard

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

2 **WHEREAS**, the Highway Patrol was created by the 1935 Legislative Assembly, and in 1936

3 five Highway Police were appointed by the Highway Patrol superintendent; and

4 WHEREAS, the duty to enforce the provisions of law relating to the protection and use of

5 public highways in this state and the operation of motor vehicles on the highways was

6 expanded to include the enforcement of all criminal laws on highways in 1967; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the responsibilities of the Highway Patrol were expanded to include the

8 operation of the law enforcement training center in 1971; and

9 WHEREAS, all security duties for the Capitol were placed under the direction of the

10 Highway Patrol in 2005; and

11 WHEREAS, since 1962 the Highway Patrol has provided two troopers to attend the

12 American Legion's North Dakota Boys State as counseling staff; and

13 **WHEREAS**, the Highway Patrol and the North Dakota Motor Carriers Association are jointly

14 involved in selecting the trooper of the year and the motor carrier driver of the year;

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF

16 NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

17 That the Sixty-second Legislative Assembly congratulates the North Dakota Highway Patrol

18 on its 75th anniversary.

- 19 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution
- 20 to the Governor, the superintendent of the Highway Patrol, the state office of the American

21 Legion, and the North Dakota Motor Carriers Association.