

ENROLLED SENATE  
RESOLUTION NO. 5

By: Kerr, Capps, Brown, Cain,  
Campbell, Coffee,  
Crutchfield, Dickerson,  
Douglass, Dunlap, Easley,  
Fair, Fisher, Ford, Haney,  
Harrison, Helton, Henry,  
Herbert, Hobson, Horner,  
Johnson, Laughlin,  
Leftwich, Littlefield,  
Long, Maddox, Martin,  
Mickle, Milacek, Monson,  
Morgan, Muegge, Price,  
Pruitt, Rabon, Robinson,  
Rozell, Shurden, Smith,  
Snyder, Stipe, Taylor,  
Weedn, Wilcoxson,  
Wilkerson, Williams, and  
Williamson

A Resolution commending Richard S. "Dick" Shaw;  
expressing appreciation for his leadership; and  
directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Richard S. "Dick" Shaw, President and Chief Operating  
Officer of Farmrail System, Inc., recently announced his retirement;  
and

WHEREAS, Dick Shaw is ending his illustrious 46-year career in  
the railroad industry, which encompassed the states of New York,  
Michigan, Minnesota, and most recently, the western plains of  
Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, Dick Shaw was active in civic organizations and  
provided excellent leadership in various civic projects in Western  
Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, for eight years Dick Shaw skillfully operated a 354-  
mile network providing vital rail service to agricultural and  
commercial customers throughout Western Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, Dick Shaw served on the Board of Directors of the  
Oklahoma Railroad Association, Inc., and represented the state of  
Oklahoma on the Board of the American Short Line and Regional  
Railroad Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION  
OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate commends Richard S. "Dick" Shaw for his long service to the people of Oklahoma and recognizes his dedicated service to Oklahoma.

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate expresses its sincere appreciation to Dick Shaw for his diligent leadership which enabled Farmrail System, Inc., to provide effective rail transportation service to Western Oklahoma.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Dick S. Shaw, Farmrail System, Inc., and the Oklahoma Railroad Association, Inc.

Adopted by the Senate the 16th day of February, 1999.

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President of the Senate