

ENROLLED SENATE
RESOLUTION NO. 50

By: Johnson (Constance),
Adelson, Aldridge,
Anderson, Ballenger,
Barrington, Bass, Bingman,
Branan, Brogdon, Brown,
Burrage, Coates, Coffee,
Corn, Crain, Crutchfield,
Easley, Eason McIntyre,
Ellis, Ford, Garrison,
Gumm, Halligan, Ivester,
Johnson (Mike), Jolley,
Justice, Lamb, Laster,
Leftwich, Lerblance,
Marlatt, Mazzei, Myers,
Newberry, Nichols, Paddack,
Reynolds, Rice, Russell,
Schulz, Sparks,
Stanislawski, Sweeden,
Sykes, Wilson and Wyrick

A Resolution congratulating and commending Dan L. Johnson for his outstanding career and public service in the areas of education and service to law enforcement; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Danny L. Johnson, known to family, friends and students as "Dan", has served as an educator in the Great State of Oklahoma for almost 40 years; and

WHEREAS, Dan L. Johnson's public service contributions to Oklahoma have included service as a peace officer, a criminal justice planner, Chief Park Ranger, Director and Assistant Director of the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training, Police

Science Program Department Head, Collegiate Officer Program Director, and Associate Professor for the Police Science Program at Oklahoma State University in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Dan also proudly served his country as a member of the United States Air Force and the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, in the early 1980s, Dan L. Johnson single-handedly developed and documented the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET) Basic Academy curriculum, resulting in CLEET instructional goals and objectives with corresponding lesson plans. He also wrote the standards for Peace Officer Instructor Certification for Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, Dan L. Johnson directed the development of the CLEET Reserve Basic Academy program and was instrumental in streamlining the CLEET Basic Academy; and

WHEREAS, Dan L. Johnson's unique ability to tap into the adult learner's psyche utilizing teaching techniques that enhance learning in the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains has enabled his students to capture key principles in ways that are fun, thought-provoking, and soul-searching; and

WHEREAS, Dan L. Johnson's impact on those he has touched as a teacher, friend, hero, confidant, and counselor continues long after his daily interactions with them; and

WHEREAS, Dan L. Johnson's commitment to law enforcement in Oklahoma stems from his passion for ensuring that Oklahoma police officers and law enforcement personnel are well trained, have a basic appreciation and understanding of their roles in society, and are equipped to be the best that they can be; and

WHEREAS, the family of Dan L. Johnson and J. R. Johnson (deceased) continues to promote and strengthen Oklahoma's law enforcement and victim service communities by funding the J.R. Johnson Memorial Scholarship for deserving students who have committed their lives to becoming members of the police and/or victim services community; and

WHEREAS, on May 30, 2009, Dan L. Johnson's family, friends, and students will honor him for his service to the public, law

enforcement, Oklahoma State University in Oklahoma City, and the Great State of Oklahoma. The Governor has proclaimed that day as Dan L. Johnson Day in our great state. His works speak volumes for and about him.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate congratulates and commends Dan L. Johnson for his outstanding career and public service in the areas of education and service to law enforcement in the State of Oklahoma.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to the Administrator of the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training, the President of Oklahoma State University—Oklahoma City, and Dan L. Johnson.

Adopted by the Senate the 19th day of May, 2009.

Presiding Officer of the Senate