

ENROLLED SENATE  
RESOLUTION NO. 51

By: Reynolds, Leftwich, 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 (Constance),  
Johnson (Mike), Jolley, Justice,  
Lamb, Laster, Lerblance, Marlatt,  
Mazzei, Myers, Newberry, Nichols,  
Paddack, Rice, Russell, Schulz,  
Sparks, Stanislowski, Sweeden,  
Sykes, Wilson and Wyrick

A Resolution commending James H. Nolen for his  
dedication to the accounting profession;  
congratulating him upon his election as President of  
the National Society of Accountants; and directing  
distribution.

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen served faithfully the Oklahoma Society  
of Accountants (OSA) as the Executive Vice President of the Society  
from 1990-2002; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen served OSA on many committees through  
his long association with the Society; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen has been selected Accountant of the Year  
twice by the Oklahoma Society of Accountants; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen has passionately worked with OSA and  
other state accounting societies to protect the rights of all  
accounting and tax professionals through his chairing of the OSA  
legislative committee for more than 25 years; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen has been awarded Life Membership in the Society by the Board of Governors of the Oklahoma Society of Accountants; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen has been a member of the National Society of Accountants (NSA) since 1978 and served NSA on several committees, including Editorial (Chair), Nominations, and Accounting Standards (Chair); and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen was one of the co-founders of the District VIII Alliance to help strengthen and support NSA's goals and objectives with its affiliate state organizations; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen has served the National Society of Accountants as Governor of District VIII; and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen is deeply committed to the accounting and tax profession as witnessed by his professional designation of EA (Enrolled Agent to practice before the Internal Revenue Service), ABA (Accredited Business Advisor), ATA (Accredited Tax Advisor), and ATP (Accredited Tax Preparer); and

WHEREAS, James H. Nolen was elected President of the National Society of Accountants for the year 2008-2009.

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

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate commends James H. Nolen for his dedication and devotion to the accounting and tax profession as evidenced by his professional designations and many years of service in professional organizations.

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate congratulates James H. Nolen upon his election as President of the National Society of Accountants and thanks him for providing professional leadership throughout his career.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to James H. Nolen, 2008-2009 President of the National Society of Accountants.

Adopted by the Senate the 6th day of May, 2009.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate