SENATE RESOLUTION—Expressing appreciation to the staff of the Senate for their service during the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature.

WHEREAS, Each legislative session the Senate elects an officer to serve as the Parliamentarian and Chief Administrative Officer of the Senate; and

WHEREAS, The Senate of the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature elected Claire Clift to serve as Secretary of the Senate for the ninth time; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Senate is responsible for employing all of the staff of the Senate, including the Sergeants at Arms, Front Desk Clerks, Administrative Services Staff, Leadership Officers, Legislative Assistants, Committee Managers, Committee Secretaries and Proofreaders; and

WHEREAS, Many of the dedicated members of the staff of the Senate return to work each legislative session, some of whom have retired from other governmental service, bringing a vast amount of knowledge and experience, while others bring talent and expertise from a myriad of diverse backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, Despite unprecedented challenges arising out of the COVID-19 global pandemic, the Secretary of the Senate and her able and dedicated staff worked tirelessly to ensure that the Senate was able to carry out its constitutional responsibilities under the challenging circumstances; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the legislative session, the Secretary and staff of the Senate meticulously maintained a thorough and accurate record of all of the proceedings of the Senate and its Committees and diligently ensured that all of the needs of the members of the Senate were met; and

WHEREAS, The talented staff who worked for the Senate during the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature carried out their responsibilities with ingenuity, enthusiasm and resourcefulness, adapting to new policies and technologies necessitated by the pandemic; and

WHEREAS, The exemplary service of the staff of the Senate, their professional attitudes, selfless commitment to excellence and admirable efficiency enabled the Senate to complete a daunting quantity of work within the rigorous scheduling deadlines of the 120-day legislative session; now, therefore, be it
RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That the members of the Senate do hereby express their sincere appreciation to the Secretary of the Senate and all of the outstanding members of the staff of the Senate and commend their dedication, cooperation, excellent work and willingness to serve the State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to each member of the staff of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this resolution becomes effective upon adoption.

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