SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 17

Introduced by: Senators Otten (Ernie) and Krebs and Representative Otten (Herman)

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring Mrs. Tonda Kirton on her selection as *Hood Magazine's* Teacher of the Year.

WHEREAS, this is the first year *Hood Magazine* of Sioux Falls has launched its Teacher of the Year Award, through nominations submitted by students from preschool, elementary, and middle schools in the area; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Kirton was nominated by Macy Rott, a fifth grader in her class from the Harrisburg School District; and

WHEREAS, *Hood Magazine* selected Mrs. Kirton based on inspiration to students, nontraditional teaching methods, and involvement in activities throughout the school:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-Eighth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the South Dakota Legislature congratulates Mrs. Tonda Kirton on her selection as *Hood Magazine's* Teacher of the Year.

