

A JOINT RESOLUTION designating a bridge on Kentucky Route 7 in Carter County as the "Pauline Burton Davis Hale Memorial Bridge."

WHEREAS, Pauline Hale was born on November 30, 1912, a native of Carter County, Kentucky, and she traversed these earthly bounds on March 2, 2001; and

WHEREAS, Pauline Hale was the loving daughter of the late Walter and Eva McCleese Burton; she was the devoted wife of the late J. Harry Davis, who had served four two-year terms in the Kentucky House of Representatives and two four-year terms in the Kentucky Senate; and she was also the loving wife of the late Curtis Hale; she was the loving mother of a son, James Adair Davis, who also served in the Kentucky House of Representatives from 1967-75; and a daughter, Linda Kuhnen; and

WHEREAS, Pauline Hale was an esteemed member of the Carter County community; she was the first female Senator elected from Carter County to serve a full term in office, representing her constituents with pride and honor from the Thirty-second Senatorial District of Carter, Elliott, Greenup, and Lewis Counties from 1957 to 1961; and after her political career, she was the owner of Tots N Teens clothing store and Davis and Davis Distributors, a petroleum distribution company, both in Grayson; and

WHEREAS, Pauline Hale was an esteemed member of the Carter County community; she graduated from Morehead Teachers College; she was a member of the Carter County Retired Teachers Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 10; and she was also a member of the Grayson Women's Club, the Grayson Garden Club, and the Business and Professional Women's Club; and

WHEREAS, the passing of Pauline Hale has left a void that will be difficult to fill, and she is mourned across the length and breadth of the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly sees fit to honor the life and memory of Pauline Hale through this designation;

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. The Transportation Cabinet shall designate the bridge on Kentucky Route 7 in Carter County that spans over Interstate-64, as the "Pauline Burton Davis Hale Memorial Bridge," and shall, within 30 days of the effective date of this Resolution, erect the appropriate signage.