

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory of Richard L.
2 "Dick" Roeding.

3 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding, legislator, veteran, businessman, and beloved
4 Kentuckian, departed this earthly life and entered into the kingdom of Heaven on October
5 6, 2017; and

6 WHEREAS, the son of the late Al and Alice Roeding, Dick Roeding was also
7 preceded in death by his brother, James A. Roeding. He is survived by his wife of sixty-
8 two years, Nancy Schrand Roeding; children, Richard L. Roeding and his wife, Cindy, and
9 Mary Lynn Brunemann and her husband, Jim; grandchildren, Chris Brunemann and his
10 wife, Angela, Emily Klueh and her husband, Michael, Abby Marfurt and her husband,
11 Adam, Ross Roeding and his fiancée, Christy Brinkhoff, Jill Roeding, Kelly Huston, and
12 Nicole Huston; and three great-grandchildren; and

13 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding was elected to the Kentucky Senate in 1991 and served
14 this august body until 2009. During his time in the General Assembly he served as Senate
15 President Pro Tem, Senate Republican Whip, Senate Minority Chair with the Republican
16 Caucus, and Northern Kentucky Legislative Caucus Chair; and

17 WHEREAS, for his extraordinary service as a statesman, Dick Roeding received the
18 1996 American Legislative Exchange Council Legislator of the Year and the 1999
19 National Republican Legislator of the Year; and

20 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding had been a registered pharmacist since 1952. He served
21 as an Incorporated Sales Executive and Corporate Lobbyist for Merrell Dow
22 Pharmaceuticals for nearly four decades, and received the 1983 Bowl of Hygeia Award for
23 his exceptional work in his community; and

24 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding was a proud veteran of the United States Army who
25 served with the utmost bravery and valor in the Korean War; and

26 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding was active in his community, serving on the Blessed
27 Sacrament/Villa Madonna Booster Club, the Covington Catholic School Board and

1 Booster Club, the Covington/Kenton Lions Club, the Diocesan Catholic Children's Home,
2 and the Kentucky Pharmacists Association; and

3 WHEREAS, Dick Roeding will be deeply missed by all who knew him, and his
4 contributions to the people of his district, to this great Commonwealth, and to his beloved
5 nation will be deeply missed by all who were lucky to have known him;

6 NOW, THEREFORE,

7 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*
8 *Kentucky:*

9 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their deepest sorrow upon
10 the passing of their former colleague, Richard L. "Dick" Roeding, and extend heartfelt
11 condolences to his family, friends, and community in this time of loss.

12 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
13 memory of former Kentucky State Senator Richard L. "Dick" Roeding.

14 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
15 Resolution to Senator Robert Stivers II for delivery to the family.