

1 A RESOLUTION honoring Gay Dwyer upon her retirement as Kentucky Retail
2 Federation Senior Vice President of Government Affairs.

3 WHEREAS, the Kentucky Retail Federation is the largest retail industry trade
4 association in the Commonwealth, advocating for the retail industry and providing value-
5 added services and programs that offer a business advantage to its members; and

6 WHEREAS, Gay Dwyer has served the retail industry for more than 20 years; and

7 WHEREAS, Gay Dwyer has served in a variety of capacities with the Kentucky
8 Retail Federation, working on such monumental issues as workers' compensation and
9 unemployment insurance. She was named to a task force by then-Governor Steve Beshear
10 to address the Commonwealth's unemployment insurance program, and the task force's
11 recommendations were adopted by the General Assembly in 2010; and

12 WHEREAS, Gay Dwyer has also worked on critical issues such as the
13 methamphetamine crisis in the Commonwealth, first learning about the scourge of the
14 epidemic when agricultural retailers began reporting an increase in the theft of anhydrous
15 ammonia; and

16 WHEREAS, it is prudent that this body honor those Kentuckians who work behind
17 the scenes to ensure that this Commonwealth's retailers have every available advantage;
18 and

19 WHEREAS, in this spirit, this august body hereby honors Gay Dwyer upon her
20 well-deserved retirement from the Kentucky Retail Federation, and rightfully thanks her
21 for her two decades of service;

22 NOW, THEREFORE,

23 ***Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of***
24 ***Kentucky:***

25 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby honor Gay Dwyer upon her
26 retirement as Kentucky Retail Federation Vice President of Government Affairs, and
27 grant her very best wishes as she begins this new chapter of her life.

- 1 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Gay Dwyer.
- 2 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
- 3 Resolution to Gay Dwyer, 143A Rumsey Circle, Versailles, Kentucky 40383.