

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 120

BY REDFERN and DOTZLER

A Resolution to honor the First Judicial District Department of Correctional Services for receiving the exemplary offender program award.

WHEREAS, in 1998, the First Judicial District Department of Correctional Services instituted the dual diagnosis offender program at the Waterloo residential facility to treat male offenders suffering from both mental health and substance abuse disorders; and

WHEREAS, treatment in the dual diagnosis offender program focuses upon enhancing the potential of the offender by facilitating the establishment of a law-abiding lifestyle with a stabilized mental condition free of chemical dependency; and

WHEREAS, on January 14, 2004, the American Correctional Association presented the exemplary offender program award to the First Judicial District Department of Correctional Services in recognition of its demonstrated success through the dual diagnosis offender program; and

WHEREAS, Thomas Bonefas, Cheryl Meyer, Ken Kolthoff, Patti Smilanich, Ross Todd, Mike Schreck, Helen Kemp, and Dick Graham are recognized for their contribution and dedication to the dual diagnosis offender program; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That the Senate recognize and honor the First Judicial District Department of Correctional Services for its success

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1 with the dual diagnosis offender program and its  
2 receipt of the exemplary offender program award; and  
3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That, upon adoption, the  
4 Secretary of the Senate shall prepare official copies  
5 of this Resolution and send it to Gary Maynard,  
6 Director of the Iowa Department of Corrections, and to  
7 Daniel Craig, District Director of the First Judicial  
8 District Department of Correctional Services.

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