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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. **104**

BY IVERSON, ANGELO, BARTZ, BEHN, BOETTGER, DRAKE,
FREEMAN, GASKILL, HEDGE, JENSEN, JOHNSON, KING,
KRAMER, LAMBERTI, LUNDBY, MADDOX, MCKEAN, MCKIBBEN,
MCLAREN, MILLER, REDFERN, REDWINE, REHBERG, RIFE,
RITTNER, SCHUERER, SEXTON, TINSMAN, VEENSTRA,
and ZIEMAN

(COMPANION TO LSB 6626HH BY RANTS)

A Resolution honoring Kayne Robinson, Chairman of the
Republican Party of Iowa, and the Republican Party
of Iowa for outstanding achievements in bringing
about nationwide recognition for the year 2000
presidential precinct caucuses.

WHEREAS, every two years the major political
parties in the State of Iowa hold precinct caucuses to
select delegates from each major political party to
attend the county conventions; and

WHEREAS, since 1976, the precinct caucuses held in
presidential election years by the two major political
parties have been used for determining support for
presidential candidates and have served as our
nation's first important test of the presidential
candidates; and

WHEREAS, the Iowa voters are civic-minded citizens
who take their caucus responsibilities seriously; and

WHEREAS, the presidential precinct caucuses held in
the year 2000 benefited Iowa's economy by bringing
thousands of volunteers to the state for several
months, by serving as a base for national media and
for nationally telecast news and interview shows, and

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1 by showcasing Iowa to citizens throughout the world;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, Kayne Robinson, Chairman of the Republican
4 Party of Iowa, ably served as a spokesperson for the
5 Republican Party of Iowa during the caucuses and
6 effectively coordinated the caucus activities for the
7 Republican Party of Iowa; and

8 WHEREAS, Kayne Robinson coordinated the efforts of
9 thousands of Republican Party activists as the
10 Republican Party of Iowa successfully hosted 2,134
11 precinct caucuses; NOW THEREFORE,

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That the Senate
13 extends its heartiest congratulations to Kayne
14 Robinson, Chairman of the Republican Party of Iowa,
15 and to the Republican Party of Iowa, for their
16 outstanding achievements in bringing about nationwide
17 recognition for the year 2000 presidential precinct
18 caucuses; and

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an official copy of
20 this Resolution be prepared and presented to Chairman
21 Robinson.

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