## RULES & ADMINISTRATION

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1	SENATE RESOLUTION NO.
2	BY IVERSON and GRONSTAL
3	A Resolution designating January 29, 2003, as Iowa
4	Insurance Day.
5	WHEREAS, the Iowa insurance industry, through its
6	employees and agents, has made a historic contribution
7	to the economic growth and strength of our state and
8	nation; and
9	WHEREAS, all Iowans benefit from the financial
10	protections offered by the Iowa insurance industry
11	through the provision of mechanisms to insure the
12	health, life, property, and retirement income of
13	Iowans; and
14	WHEREAS, two hundred fifty-seven insurance
15	companies are headquartered in Iowa; and
16	WHEREAS, more than 40,000 Iowans work in Iowa's
17	insurance industry, with over 27,000 agents and
18	brokers representing the insurance industry in every
19	county in the state; and
20	WHEREAS, the yearly insurance industry payroll for
21	its Iowa employees exceeds \$1.5 billion, 5 percent of
22	the total payroll for all Iowa employees; and
23	WHEREAS, Iowa's insurance industry currently
24	accounts for 4 percent of the gross state product, at
25	over \$3.1 billion; NOW THEREFORE,
26	BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That the Iowa Senate
27	designates the day of January 29, 2003, as Iowa
28	Insurance Day and invites the citizens of Iowa to
29	discover and honor the important economic
30	contributions made by the Iowa insurance industry.