

SENATE RESOLUTION

A TRIBUTE TO MR. JOSEPH VOL STEWART FOR HIS THIRTY-FIVE YEARS
OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

WHEREAS, Mr. Joseph Vol Stewart began his career with the State of Arkansas in 1952 as a field auditor in the State Revenue Department; and

WHEREAS, since that time Joe has served the State in a multitude of positions including Accounting Systems Analyst for the State Comptroller's Office, understudy to former State Budget Director Julian C. Hogan who co-authored the Arkansas Revenue Stabilization Law, Chief of Fiscal Control, State Budget Director, Director of the Budget and Accounting Division, Assistant Director of the State Administration Department, Director of the Management Services Division of the Department of Finance and Administration, Deputy Director of the Department of Finance and Administration, and was appointed Acting Director of the Department by three different governors; and

WHEREAS, Joe has served under 14 different directors and 6 different governors; and

WHEREAS, under Joe's leadership new accounting, budgeting, personnel and purchasing systems have been implemented; and

WHEREAS, Joe has now retired from State service,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, MEETING IN ITS THIRD EXTRAORDINARY SESSION:

That the Senate takes great pleasure in commending Mr. Joseph Vol Stewart for his 35 years of dedicated service to the State of Arkansas, and wishes him well in his future endeavors.