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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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Subtitle

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WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard graduated from the St. Edward Mercy Hospital
School of Nursing in Fort Smith in 1967; and

WHEREAS, during her professional career as a registered nurse, Sherry
Barnard gained experience in many areas of medical practice, including:

- (1) Pediatrics in Fort Smith, with Dr. Charles Floyd from 1967-
1970;
- (2) As a clinic nurse in Russellville with Dr. Douglas Lowery
from 1970-1973;
- (3) Internal medicine, with Dr. Ken Thompson at the Cooper
Clinic in Fort Smith from 1973-1975;
- (4) Various specialties at the Cooper Clinic in Fort Smith from
1975-1978;
- (5) School nurse for the Fort Smith Public School District; and
- (6) Family Health at the John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort
Worth, Texas from 1980-1984; and



WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard has been married to Kenneth Barnard for fifty-six (56) years; and

WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard took some time off from working as a registered nurse from 1984-1997 to raise her two (2) sons Shawn and Brandon; and

WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard returned to work as a part-time clinic nurse for various specialties at the CHI St. Vincent Little Rock Diagnostic Clinic from 1997-2022; and

WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard concluded her professional career working as a registered nurse at the H. Elvin Shuffield Capitol Infirmary during the legislative sessions from 2015-2024; and

WHEREAS, Sherry Barnard has dedicated her professional career to nursing and the citizens of Arkansas,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the House of Representatives congratulate Sherry Barnard, R.N., upon her retirement and commend her for fifty-six (56) years of service as a registered nurse.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution shall be provided to Sherry Barnard, R.N., by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.