HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1006

Introduced by: Representatives Lederman, Bolin, Carson, Deadrick, Dennert, Faehn, Hunhoff (Bernie), Juhnke, Lust, Noem, Putnam, Schlekeway, Steele, Tidemann, Turbiville, and Wink and Senators Gant, Brown, Dempster, Hanson (Gary), Heidepriem, Knudson, and Olson (Russell)

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Congratulating and honoring Sarah Cork of Jefferson, South Dakota, for receiving a 2010 Prudential Spirit of Community Award for her outstanding record of volunteer service.

WHEREAS, Sarah Cork, a junior at Dakota Valley High School in North Sioux City, received this prestigious award, presented by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals, for her extraordinary commitment to serve others; and

WHEREAS, Sarah earned this award for her tremendous efforts doing missionary work in rural Ireland, traveling there on her own, soliciting donations for travel expenses and other necessities, and working steadfastly with a missionary family to help teach vacation Bible school, distribute Christian magazines, and work at a Christian bookstore among other tasks; and

WHEREAS, the success of this state, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of America depends, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people like Sarah Cork, who use their considerable talents and resources to help others:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-fifth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Sarah Cork, recipient of a 2010 Prudential Spirit of Community Award, be recognized for her outstanding volunteer service and be extended best wishes for her continued success and happiness.

