

## SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 15

Introduced by: Senators Maher, Bradford, Brown, Hansen (Tom), Heidepriem, Howie, and Tieszen and Representatives Schrempp, Brunner, Greenfield, Hunhoff (Bernie), Kirkeby, Kirschman, Olson (Betty), Russell, Verchio, and Wink

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring and supporting Pioneer Days in Dupree, South Dakota, on the occasion of Dupree's centennial anniversary.

WHEREAS, Dupree was settled by hardy pioneers who answered the call to come to central South Dakota following the Homestead Act of 1908 and was moved to its present site in 1910; and

WHEREAS, Dupree is rich in ranching, farming, and cultural history, which the residents strive to preserve for future generations; and

WHEREAS, the centennial will be celebrated at this years's Pioneer Days, July 6 through July 11, 2010; and

WHEREAS, Pioneer Days offers a variety of exhibits, attractions, events, and entertainment, including Dupree's legendary Hee Haw Show, Dupree High School Alumni Reunion, Dupree's Centennial Wagon Train Trail Ride, Ziebach County Historical Society Museum, silent auction, free BBQ, demolition derby, fireworks display, Pow Wows, two big parades, two rodeos, art in the park, and dances and other music at Pioneer Hall:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-fifth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Legislature congratulates Dupree on its centennial anniversary and encourages all to attend the Pioneer Days celebration in July.

