SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 183

By Dickerson

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Doris K. Bonanno of Dover, Ohio.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Doris K. Bonanno; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bonanno was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for her fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Doris Bonanno served with acumen and alacrity for many years in the court system, in which position she earned the respect of her peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of her work. She rendered sterling service as the deputy clerk for the Southern District Court in Uhrichsville, Ohio, and for the New Philadelphia Municipal Court in New Philadelphia, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, a native of Dover, Ohio, Doris Bonanno was born on March 30, 1944, to

Joseph Albert "Deacon" and Betty Jane Schoelles Bonanno, who preceded her in death; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bonanno was an active and devout member of the Immaculate

Conception Church, which she served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, she was also deeply devoted to her family and always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Doris Bonanno was the loving mother of Bryan Davis and Alisa Davis, and will be sorely missed by her grandchildren, Mya Hanks and Aisley Davis; her sister, Jo Ann Markin; and her niece and nephew, Lindsey Scheumeister and Dan Markin; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bonanno leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Doris K. Bonanno, reflecting fondly upon her impeccable character and her stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Ms. Bonanno.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.