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WHEREAS, existing Oklahoma Conservation Reserve Program contract holders would financially benefit by receiving the option to be paid in cash the present value of their remaining contract payments; and

WHEREAS, Okłahoma Conservation Reserve Program farmers would receive a vital source of liquidity without creating new farm debt; and

WHEREAS, the Farm Credit Bank of Wichita desires to purchase the ODFA taxable bonds and awaits approval by the Farm Credit Administration; and

WHEREAS, the Farm Credit Bank of Wichita has approved the cash option for Conservation Reserve Program contract holders; and

WHEREAS, the Farm Credit Administration based in Washington, D.C. oversees eleven regional bank systems with the State of Oklahoma represented by the Farm Credit Bank of Wichita; and

WHEREAS, the acquisition of the taxable securities issued by the Oklahoma Development Finance Authority in conjunction with the Conservation Reserve Program is not currently an approved investment of the Farm Credit System.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 42ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature urges the Farm Credit Administration to approve the Oklahoma Development Finance Authority taxable unrated bonds for purchase by the Farm Credit Banks and waive the associated liquidity requirements.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to each member of the Oklahoma Congressional Delegation.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 26th day of April, 1990.

Adopted by the Senate the 25th day of May, 1990.

Filed with the Secretary of State May 25, 1990.

TOURISM AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT—RAILS TO TRAILS PROGRAM—LEGISLATIVE INTENT

H.C.Res.No. 1080

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STATING LEGISLATIVE INTENT THAT THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM AND RECREATION NOT DEVELOP OR PROMOTE THE RAILS TO TRAILS PROGRAM IN A CERTAIN AREA; AND DIRECTING DISTRIBUTION.

WHEREAS, The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department has made an agreement with the Union-Pacific Railroad to take fee simple title to the Henryetta to Durant line; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Hughes County, Okmulgee County, Coal County, Bryan County, Johnston County and Okfuskee County oppose the development of a hiking trail in their area; and

WHEREAS, Section 24 of Article II of the Oklahoma Constitution prohibits the taking of private land without just compensation; and

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WHEREAS, certain persons have reversionary property rights in the Union-Pacific property unless such property is continued to be used for railroad purposes, such as the excursion train from Caddo to Durant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 42ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Oklahoma Legislature that the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department take no action to develop or promote their "Rails to Trails" project from Henryetta to Durant.

SECTION 2. Copies of this resolution be distributed to the members of the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Commission and to Mr. Glenn Sullivan, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 21st day of May, 1990.

Adopted by the Senate the 24th day of May, 1990.

Filed with the Secretary of State May 25, 1990.

STATE AND EDUCATION EMPLOYEES GROUP INSURANCE BOARD—PHARMACY REIMBURSEMENT PLAN—LEGISLATIVE INTENT

H.C.Res.No. 1084

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING LEGISLATIVE INTENT THAT THE STATE AND EDUCATION EMPLOYEES GROUP INSURANCE BOARD ADOPT A FAIR AND REASONABLE PHARMACY REIMBURSEMENT PLAN; PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN ANNUAL REVIEW AND ADJUSTMENT OF SUCH PLAN; AND DIRECTING DISTRIBUTION.

WHEREAS, one of the purposes behind the enactment of the State and Education Employees Group Insurance Act is to provide uniformity in accident and health insurance and/or benefits coverage on all employees of the State of Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, such uniformity in coverage must include adequate accessibility to pharmacies for all state and education employees and retirees in all areas of this state; and

WHEREAS, certain pharmacy reimbursement programs now being considered by the State and Education Employees Group Insurance Board will not elicit participation by a sufficient number of pharmacies to provide reasonable access for all state and education employees and retirees in all areas of this state; and

WHEREAS, in order to provide adequate accessibility to pharmacies for all state and education employees and retirees in all areas of this state, the State and Education Employees Group Insurance Board should establish a fair and reasonable pharmacy reimbursement which would prompt pharmacies in all areas of this state to become providers under the State and Education Employees Group Insurance Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 42ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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