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HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. **1002**

Introduced by: Representatives Nelson, Campbell, Carson, Hawley, Kaiser, Kopp, Parsley, Ring, Solum, Stalzer, Steele, Verchio, and Wick and Senators Van Gerpen, Adelstein, Brown, Johnston, Lederman, and Rhoden

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Commending and honoring Sergeant Jacob Vissia for his selection as the South Dakota Army National Guard Noncommissioned Officer of the Year.

WHEREAS, the South Dakota Army National Guard consistently is ranked as one of the best Army National Guard units in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Jacob Vissia was selected as the Noncommissioned Officer of the Year of the South Dakota Army National Guard after demonstrating great proficiency, leadership, steadfast dedication, and serving with honor; and

WHEREAS, as noted by his South Dakota Army National Guard state supervisors and commanders, Sergeant Jacob Vissia's leadership and dedication to duty exemplify the total package of Army core values; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Jacob Vissia's performance is in keeping with the highest traditions established by South Dakota's many veterans and the United States Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, South Dakotans greatly appreciate the sacrifice, dedication, and service of all those who put their lives on the line to serve South Dakota and our great Nation:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-Eighth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Sergeant Jacob Vissia is commended, congratulated, and honored as the South Dakota Army National Guard Noncommissioned Officer of the year. Sergeant Vissia is recognized for his outstanding service and outstanding representation of the State of South Dakota, and is extended best wishes for his continued success, happiness, and safety. Hooah!