

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who bring glory and honor to themselves and to this great state through the excellence of their achievements in their chosen fields of professional endeavor; and

Whereas, the Honorable Richard B. Teitelman has attained considerable distinction as a member of the Supreme Court of Missouri; and

Whereas, Supreme Court Judge Rick Teitelman enhanced his already impressive record of achievement when he was presented with a Legislative Advocacy Award from the American Bar Association at the annual ABA Day in Washington, D.C.; and

Whereas, Supreme Court Judge Rick Teitelman was recognized by the American Bar Association in light of his contributions and success in increasing bipartisan support for the Legal Services Corporation; and

Whereas, Supreme Court Judge Rick Teitelman had a twenty-three-year-long career with Legal Services of Eastern Missouri before shifting the focus of his time and energy by accepting the duties and responsibilities of a judge; and

Whereas, the Legal Services Corporation relies on public funding from state and federal government to provide civil legal aid to ensure "justice for all"; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri citizens as the Honorable Rick Teitelman at momentous times in their lives:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Supreme Court Judge Rick Teitelman for a 2007 Legislative Advocacy Award from the American Bar Association and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to the Honorable Richard B. Teitelman of the Supreme Court of Missouri.

Offered by _____
 Representative Rachel Storch
 District No. 64

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted _____, 2007.

 Rod Jetton, Speaker