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1 SENATE RESOLUTION NO.
2 BY KRAMER, IVERSON, and GRONSTAL
3 A Resolution honoring Everett A. "Sam" Samuelson,
4 Doorkeeper of the Senate.

5 WHEREAS, Sam Samuelson joined the Senate as a
6 Doorkeeper on January 25, 1982, after his retirement
7 from an oil company; and

8 WHEREAS, Sam loved music, and entertained many
9 times with the "Samuelson Trio", playing drums,
10 accompanied by his wife Martha playing piano, and the
11 third member of the trio playing bass, including at
12 social events at the Statehouse; and

13 WHEREAS, Sam's Swedish heritage and his roots in
14 Pennsylvania are a great source of pride for him; and

15 WHEREAS, Sam took pleasure in a good story, and
16 told his fair share of them, finding humor in daily
17 life and generously giving of his time and his smiles;
18 and

19 WHEREAS, Sam truly enjoyed his work in the Senate,
20 and his friendly face and outgoing attitude made every
21 visitor to the Chamber feel welcome and every coworker
22 valued; and

23 WHEREAS, Sam's well-earned retirement has left him
24 to spend more time with his wife Martha and his
25 beloved cats; and

26 WHEREAS, Sam's years of loyal service and attention
27 are well-deserving of honor and acclaim; NOW

28 THEREFORE,

29 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, That Everett A. "Sam"
30 Samuelson be publicly recognized for his dedicated

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1 service to the Iowa Senate, congratulated on his
2 retirement, and wished all the best.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a formal copy of this
4 Resolution be presented to Everett A. "Sam" Samuelson,
5 with the thanks of the Senate for a job well done.

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