By Senators Dudley, Lee and Sullivan

25-2015-98

Senate Resolution No. ____

A resolution honoring Archibald "Arch" Wilton

McLean, Jr. for his adventurist spirit and

contributions to Florida's construction

industry and the governmental relations

community in Tallahassee.

WHEREAS, Arch McLean was born in North Carolina on December 16, 1953, of Scottish descent, and followed in his father's footsteps by joining the St. Andrews Society, an organization of which his father had been president in North Carolina, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean moved to Florida and established a career in the construction industry, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean gained the respect of his peers and was selected as Executive Vice President of the Central Florida Chapter of Associated General Contractors, and became Executive Director of the Florida Associated General Contractors Council, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean was a faithful advocate and defender of Florida's general contractors, always behaving as a gentleman and in a professional manner, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean was a loving and devoted son, brother, and uncle and a kind and considerate neighbor and faithful friend, always demonstrating a love of life, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean challenged himself by competing in triathlons and other demanding sports, including scuba diving and snow skiing, and

WHEREAS, Arch McLean's love for life's challenges ultimately lead to his untimely demise when he was tragically

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killed in a skydiving accident over the Thanksgiving Holiday
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    in 1997, NOW, THEREFORE,
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   Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:
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           That Arch McLean is remembered and commended for his
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   many contributions to the construction industry and
    Tallahassee's professional lobbying corps.
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           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution,
    with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be presented to the
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    family of Arch McLean as a tangible token of the sentiments of
    the Florida Senate.
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