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Senate Resolution No. ____

A resolution recognizing the week of June 21 through June 27, 1999, as Workers' Right to Organize Week.

WHEREAS, federal law protects employees' rights to form or join unions, and

WHEREAS, unions provide employees with a voice on the job, and

WHEREAS, unions encourage job innovation and have resulted in better benefits and greater job security for workers, and

WHEREAS, unionized employees generally earn more than their nonunion counterparts and contribute to the economic vitality of our communities, and

WHEREAS, unions have contributed to the growth of democracy, the well-being of America's working families, and our communities generally, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the week of June 21 through June 27, 1999, is recognized as Workers' Right to Organize Week.