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House Resolution

A resolution designating April 6, 2005, as "Osteopathic
Medicine Day" in Florida.

WHEREAS, osteopathic physicians provide health care
services that account for more than 100 million patient visits
in this country each year, and

WHEREAS, Florida has nine accredited osteopathic hospitals,
two osteopathic medical colleges, and the fourth-largest
osteopathic physician population in the United States, and

WHEREAS, osteopathic physicians provide comprehensive
medical care, including preventive medicine, diagnosis, and the
appropriate use of drugs, surgery, manipulation, and hospital
referrals, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
Florida:

That the House of Representatives is pleased to recognize
the osteopathic physicians of Florida and to commend them for
their contributions to the health and welfare of the state's
residents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that April 6, 2005, is designated as
"Osteopathic Medicine Day" in Florida.