

By Senator Webster

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Senate Resolution

A resolution recognizing Samuel L. Brewer and Darrell Johnson, Sr., on their induction into the International Towing & Recovery 2006 Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, Samuel L. Brewer of Sam's Wrecker Service in Brooksville, Florida, and Darrell Johnson, Sr., of Johnson's Wrecker Service, Inc., in Orlando, Florida, were two of nine individuals inducted this year into the International Towing & Recovery Hall of Fame in Chattanooga, Tennessee, and

WHEREAS, induction into the ITRHFM Hall of Fame recognizes an individual's demonstrated years of dedication and hard work within the towing and recovery industry and his or her substantial contributions to the industry, and

WHEREAS, Samuel L. Brewer specializes in light and medium duty towing and has long been active in the Professional Wrecker Operators of Florida, serving as President of the organization for 6 years, as Chairman of its Legislative Committee for 8 years, and as a member of its executive board for 17 years, and

WHEREAS, currently Sam is also President of the Towing and Recovery Association of America, a trustee of the International Towing & Recovery Hall of Fame & Museum, and received the organization's Citizen of the Year Award in 1998 and its Lifetime Leadership Award in 2003, and

WHEREAS, Darrell Johnson, Sr., holds certifications in light, medium, heavy, and ultra heavy duty towing through the Professional Wrecker Operators of Florida, was one of the founding members of that organization, and has worked to pass

1 laws for the betterment of the towing and recovery industry,
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3 WHEREAS, his firm, Johnson's Wrecker Service, Inc.,
4 specializes in law enforcement response and recovery work, and
5 he is active as a sponsor of Little League teams and other
6 organizations including The Russell Home, the American Cancer
7 Society, Shops with Cops, Shriners, and Children's Safety
8 Village, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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12 That the Senate recognizes and commends Samuel L.
13 Brewer and Darrell Johnson, Sr., on their leadership, business
14 success, public service, and induction into the International
15 Towing & Recovery 2006 Hall of Fame.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution,
17 with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be presented to Mr.
18 Brewer and Mr. Johnson as a token of the sentiments of the
19 Florida Senate.

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