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1 House Resolution

2 A resolution commemorating July 10, 2009, to celebrate the
3 50th Anniversary of the Florida Society of Association
4 Executives (FSAE) and the 25th Anniversary of the Florida
5 Society of Association Executives' Foundation.

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7 WHEREAS, FSAE's first Annual Meeting was on November 16,
8 1959, and the FSAE Foundation's Articles of Incorporation were
9 approved on December 7, 1984, and

10 WHEREAS, FSAE is the gateway to the association market in
11 the State of Florida, with more than 800 executive and associate
12 members, including those who manage trade and professional
13 associations, individual membership societies, charitable
14 organizations, and other not-for-profit organizations, and

15 WHEREAS, FSAE and its foundation provide education,
16 training, research, and certification for its members to further
17 their professional development and to advance the association
18 management industry, and

19 WHEREAS, FSAE brings together groups of people who find
20 strength in numbers in sharing common interests of industries,
21 professions, charities, hobbies, or philanthropic action, and

22 WHEREAS, the estimate of the direct economic value of
23 FSAE's members to the State of Florida is over \$1.7 billion each
24 year, including payroll, rent and mortgage expenses,
25 transportation, printing, office supplies, postage, lodging and
26 facility accommodations, and educational programs, and

27 WHEREAS, in 2008, association staff and members donated
28 more than 18 million hours of service to their associations and

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29 | communities each year, NOW, THEREFORE,

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31 | Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
32 | Florida:

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34 | That July 10, 2009, commemorates the 50th anniversary of
35 | the Florida Society of Association Executives (FSAE) and the
36 | 25th anniversary of the Florida Society of Association
37 | Executives' Foundation.

38 | BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be
39 | presented to the FSAE Foundation as a tangible token of the
40 | sentiments expressed herein.