

By Senator Diaz de la Portilla

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Senate Resolution

A resolution commemorating the 50th anniversary of the  
Dade County Police Benevolent Association.

WHEREAS, the Dade County Police Benevolent Association was  
incorporated in December 1963 to protect the rights of law  
enforcement personnel and promote professionalism, and

WHEREAS, the Dade County Police Benevolent Association is  
the largest police organization in Miami-Dade County, with more  
than 6,500 law enforcement officers, and

WHEREAS, the Dade County Police Benevolent Association  
provides a wealth of benefits for its members, including union-  
type services such as collective bargaining and labor relations  
and legal assistance, and

WHEREAS, the Dade County Police Benevolent Association  
remains civically engaged, fostering relationships with elected  
officials and taking an active role in crafting legislation in  
the criminal justice field, and

WHEREAS, the Dade County Police Benevolent Association  
strives to enhance relations between law enforcement personnel  
and the community, and the association's members have  
volunteered their time and given financial support to numerous  
nonprofit organizations in Miami-Dade County, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the 50th anniversary of the Dade County Police  
Benevolent Association is commemorated.