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Kentucky Senate
AES THE SBNJNTE
OE THE
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greetings:

Know ye that

Eastern Kentucky University
and Western Kentucky University

are recognized and honored as these esteemed and historically significant institutions of higher education observe their joint Centennial Celebration, in commemoration of their establishment by the Kentucky General Assembly in 1906, with the passage of the Normal School Law. Created from legislation which established two teacher training institutions, the city of Richmond was selected as the site of Eastern Kentucky State Normal School and Bowling Green as the site of Western Kentucky State Normal School, both of which have labored with great hope and enthusiasm to meet the educational needs of the citizens of this great Commonwealth despite stringent competition for much-needed financial support. Throughout the past century, the leaders and supporters of Eastern Kentucky University and Western Kentucky University, have, through their collective vision and determination, witnessed enormous and substantial changes as their respective missions and curricula have transformed to meet the ever-evolving educational needs of the students entrusted to their care and to provide a multitude of vital endeavors which seek always to enhance and improve the quality of life for Kentucky’s deserving citizens. Inasmuch as these respected institutions of higher learning have served as laudable stewards of the diverse community they serve, Eastern Kentucky University President Jeannie Hsasser, and Western Kentucky President Mary A. Huddleston, and their respective Board of Regents, are welcomed to the Chamber of the Senate during the 2006 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly as best wishes are extended to their schools for the almost success as they continue to move these treasured educational institutions forward to meet their respective visions for the next century of service and,

on the motion of

Senator Brett Guthrie
and Senator Ed Worley

are hereby deemed by this honorable body most worthy of its recognition.

Done in Frankfort, Kentucky, this eighteenth day of January, in the year two thousand and six,

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President of the Senate

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Member of the Senate

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Member of the Senate