

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2002

S E N A T E R E S O L U T I O N

HONORING SENATOR ROBERT KELLS ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE RHODE ISLAND SENATE

Introduced By: Senators Walaska, Irons, T Coderre, Walton, and Issa

Date Introduced: June 04, 2002

Referred To: Senate read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Robert T. Kells was born in Providence on June 6, 1944. He married
2 Kathleen Sullivan and together they have three children, Robert Jr., Karin and Peter; and
3 WHEREAS, On the Providence Police Force for 30 years, 20 years as a military police
4 officer in the National Guard, and the Chief of the Lincoln Police Department for the past 7
5 months, Senator Kells has spent the greater part of his life in honorable service protecting the
6 people of this state; and

7 WHEREAS, First elected to the Rhode Island State Senate on November 6, 1990, Senator
8 Kells has served with distinction as Deputy Majority Whip, on the Senate H.E.W. Committee, the
9 Joint Committee on Veterans' Affairs, the Joint Committee on Highway Safety, and as Secretary
10 of the Senate Judiciary Committee; and

11 WHEREAS, His knowledge and dedicated service in the Rhode Island Senate has earned
12 Senator Kells the respect and admiration of his peers and the gratitude and support of the citizens
13 of District 10; now, therefore be it

14 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
15 hereby extends its sincerest congratulations to our friend and colleague, the Honorable Robert T.
16 Kells on twelve years as a distinguished Senator and a job well done. We wish him the very best
17 health and future happiness; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and directed to
2 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to the Honorable Robert T. Kells.

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