

Senate Resolution No. 7—Senators Raggio, Titus, Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Rhoads, Schneider, Tiffany, Townsend, Washington and Wiener

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SENATE RESOLUTION—Expressing appreciation to Washoe County Chief Deputy District Attorney Daniel Greco for serving as Special Prosecutor in the impeachment proceedings for State Controller Kathy Augustine.

WHEREAS, On November 12, 2004, Washoe County Chief Deputy District Attorney Daniel Greco was appointed to serve as Special Prosecutor for the impeachment trial of State Controller Kathy Augustine; and

WHEREAS, The appointment of Dan Greco was based upon his extensive experience as a prosecutor for the Washoe County District Attorney's Office and his excellent reputation in the legal community for being dedicated, fair-minded and efficient in the pursuit of justice; and

WHEREAS, With only a short time to prepare for this trial, Special Prosecutor Greco undertook the enormous responsibility of ensuring that the State Controller and the people of Nevada received a fair trial; and

WHEREAS, In preparing for the impeachment trial, many demands were placed upon Special Prosecutor Greco causing him to work overtime through evenings, weekends and the Thanksgiving holiday for which, as a professional employee of Washoe County, he will not be compensated; and

WHEREAS, The Special Prosecutor has performed his role admirably while commuting daily to a "courtroom" that is not a courtroom to prosecute a unique case that he and his staff neither investigated nor developed; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his tenure as Special Prosecutor, Dan Greco has demonstrated amazing personal fortitude and strength of character in carrying out his appointment in unfamiliar surroundings, with evolving rules of procedure and an impossibly short time to prepare; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That the members of the Senate of the 21st Special Session of the Nevada Legislature do hereby express their sincere appreciation to Dan Greco for serving as Special Prosecutor for these historic impeachment proceedings; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the members of the Senate hereby commend Dan Greco for a job well done; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Washoe County Chief Deputy District Attorney Daniel Greco and to his boss, Washoe County District Attorney Richard A. Gammick.