

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7—Senators Horsford; Breeden, Brower, Cegavske, Copening, Denis, Gustavson, Halseth, Hardy, Kieckhefer, Kihuen, Lee, Leslie, Manendo, McGinness, Parks, Rhoads, Roberson, Schneider, Settelmeyer and Wiener

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Memorializing Milton D. Glick, President of the University of Nevada, Reno.

WHEREAS, The members of the Nevada Legislature note with great sorrow the passing of Milton Glick, President of the University of Nevada, Reno, and one of Nevada's finest educators and leaders, on April 16, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Born in Memphis, Tennessee, in 1937, Dr. Glick grew up in Rock Island, Illinois, and it soon became apparent that education was to be his passion, as he graduated with a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Augustana College in Rock Island and earned his doctorate at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, followed by postdoctoral studies at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Glick was on the faculty at Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan, Iowa State University in Ames, the College of Arts and Science at the University of Missouri in Columbia and Arizona State University in Tempe, which reinforced his enduring belief in the power of higher education; and

WHEREAS, At his inauguration as the 15th President of the University of Nevada, Reno, in 2006, Dr. Glick stated that "The next Comstock Lode is not in the mines of Nevada. . . . It is in the minds of Nevadans," thereby signaling to all Nevadans that he had the leadership and commitment to take the University to new heights and national recognition; and

WHEREAS, Despite economic challenges, President Glick fostered a culture of excellence and led the University to unprecedented growth through campus expansion and construction,



increased research funding, the recruitment of a record number of National Merit Scholarship students and the elevation of the University to Tier 1 status in the prestigious annual rankings of *U. S. News & World Report*; and

WHEREAS, The efforts of this talented leader and devoted educator resulted last year in the University graduating its largest class ever, marking a 66 percent increase in the number of baccalaureate degrees awarded over the last 10 years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Glick's mantra was that "Nevada needs more education, not less. It's about what we want our children and grandchildren to inherit," and when asked about the future of education in the face of severe budget cuts, he said, "I still believe that what we do at our University will determine the quality of life for all Nevadans"; and

WHEREAS, As the heart and soul of the University of Nevada, Reno, Dr. Glick always put the students' needs first, whether it was by participating in a walk-a-thon, rooting for the Wolf Pack or telling a story, and he always had a twinkle in his eye and optimism for the future of Nevada through education; and

WHEREAS, The absence of this beloved figure with his trademark hat and ever-present sense of humor will forever alter the aura of the campus of the University of Nevada, Reno; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE ASSEMBLY CONCURRING, That the members of the 76th Nevada Legislature offer their deepest condolences to Dr. Glick's wife Peggy, son David and his wife Jennifer, son Sander and his wife Laura, and grandchildren Toby, Nina and Elijah; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the remarkable legacy which Dr. Glick leaves through the lives he touched and through living his belief that education is the pathway to a better future for the Silver State is appreciated and lauded by all residents of this State; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Dr. Glick's beloved wife Peggy.

