

**Senator Ray Miller**

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**RESOLUTION**

Honoring William E. Thompson on his retirement.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate William E. Thompson on the memorable occasion of his retirement from the Industrial Commission of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Throughout many years of distinguished public service, William Thompson has demonstrated an unwavering dedication to performing his duties and fulfilling his responsibilities with the utmost efficiency and competence. Commencing his tenure with the Industrial Commission of Ohio in 1997, he served ten years as chairperson before becoming a commissioner in 2007; and

WHEREAS, William Thompson is a remarkable individual, combining civic concern and commitment with selfless initiative to become a dynamic leader in the State of Ohio. Always sincere and energetic in his approach to his work, he has given generously of his time and abilities far beyond what was required or expected and has displayed a genuine commitment to bettering the world around him; and

WHEREAS, The enthusiasm and expertise William Thompson has shown in his endeavors have earned him the respect of all those with whom he has been associated. As he retires, he has the satisfaction of knowing that he has provided a vital service to the state and has established a record of personal and professional achievement that will stand as a hallmark for others

to emulate; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend William E. Thompson on his exemplary service and extend best wishes for the future; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to William E. Thompson.