

***Resolution Honoring Commissioner Randy Bynum of Arkansas***

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Randy Bynum was a member of the Arkansas Public Service Commission from 2003 until February of 2007; *and*

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Bynum is an alumnus of the University of Central Arkansas and the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville where he graduated with Honors in 1982, BSBA and subsequently graduated from The George Washington University in Washington, D.C. where he received a *Juris Doctor* with High Honors in 1989, where he served as Executive Managing Editor of The George Washington Journal of International Law and Economics and was elected to The Order of the Coif; *and*

**WHEREAS**, His professional career has included a law practice from 1989-1995 in Washington, D.C. with the firms of Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton and Ginsberg, Feldman and Bress, and from 2000-2002 in Little Rock, Arkansas with the Rose Law Firm, and from 1995-2000 he served as President of Bynum Furniture Group, Inc in Springdale, Arkansas; *and*

**WHEREAS**, In addition to maintaining his license to practice law, he also is a Certified Public Accountant in Arkansas; *and*

**WHEREAS**, During his term at the Arkansas Commission he served as Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Gas, Treasurer of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), member of the Board of Director's of NARUC, member of the Executive Committee of NARUC, Chair of the Audit and Investment Committee of NARUC, and board member of the American Public Gas Association Security and Integrity Foundation, board member of the Financial Research Institute in Columbia, MO; *and*

**WHEREAS**, During his term as a NARUC Board member, he furthered the mission of the NARUC Gas Committee by fostering an awareness and understanding of the issues affecting the transportation, distribution, and sale of natural gas in a safe, efficient, and economical manner; *now, therefore, be it*

**RESOLVED**, That the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, convened at its 2007 Winter Meeting in Washington, D.C. extends and expresses its sincere appreciation and gratitude to Randy Bynum by recognizing his outstanding public service, his consistent good humor, his ability to build consensus on contentious matters, and conveys to him its best wishes for all of his future endeavors.

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*Sponsored by the Committee on Gas*

*Adopted by the NARUC Board of Directors February 21, 2007*