

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 56

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WHEREAS, General Kevin P. Chilton assumed command of the United States Strategic Command on October 3, 2007; and

WHEREAS, General Kevin P. Chilton, as part of his duties, is responsible for the plans and operations for all United States forces conducting strategic deterrence and Department of Defense space and cyberspace operations; and

WHEREAS, General Kevin P. Chilton is a distinguished graduate of the United States Air Force Academy, a Columbia University Guggenheim Fellow, and a distinguished graduate of the United States Air Force Pilot Training and Test Pilot Schools; and

WHEREAS, General Kevin P. Chilton served at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration where he commanded a space shuttle mission and has also won numerous awards and decorations for his outstanding service to his country; and

WHEREAS, General Kevin P. Chilton is retiring and will relinquish command of the United States Strategic Command at a ceremony on January 28, 2011.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes General Kevin P. Chilton for his many accomplishments and honors him for his many years of outstanding service to his country.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to General Kevin P. Chilton.