RESOLUTION FOR TROOPER H.R. GRIFFIN

WHEREAS, Trooper H.R. Griffin served Pender County for 21 years as a member of the North Carolina Highway Patrol; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Griffin was killed on September 14, 1975, while performing his duties on N.C. 53 in Pender County; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Griffin was a model highway patrolman who gave his life trying to ensure safety on North Carolina's highways; and

WHEREAS, the Pender County and Burgaw Boards of Commissioners, the Burgaw Police Department and the Burgaw Rotary Club have passed resolutions asking the N.C. Board of Transportation to honor Trooper Griffin.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:

That the N.C. Board of Transportation names the bridge on N.C. 53 over Interstate 40 east of Burgaw in Pender County the *Trooper H.R. Griffin Bridge* to honor his service and dedication to his community and this state.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the second day of October 1998, by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

Secretary of Transportation

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