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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 02-1037

101 **CONCERNING DESIGNATION OF OCTOBER 27, 2002, AS "CELEBRATE**
102 **CHILDREN DAY" IN COLORADO.**

1 WHEREAS, The children of Colorado reflect the innocence and
2 essence of childhood and remind us daily of the freedom and wonder of
3 childhood discoveries; and

4 WHEREAS, Colorado's children teach us by example how to
5 touch, investigate, and learn about the world around us; and

6 WHEREAS, Children ask questions and make observations that
7 teach us to live every day to the fullest; and

8 WHEREAS, All adults who work with children can strengthen
9 each child's thinking and learning ability by conversing and discussing the
10 world with them; and

11 WHEREAS, Every Colorado community celebrates, honors, and
12 has responsibility for the success of its children; and

13 WHEREAS, As parents, teachers, mentors, and leaders, we all

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1 share the responsibility for the success of all of Colorado's children; and

2 WHEREAS, It is appropriate that we reserve a specific day to
3 celebrate and honor our children and their significant accomplishments
4 in schools, churches, and daycare centers and in their communities; and

5 WHEREAS, Reserving October 27, 2002, to reflect on Colorado's
6 children will help to ensure that we remember our collective and
7 individual obligations to Colorado's children and that we acknowledge the
8 importance of Colorado's children to our future, celebrating their
9 triumphs and accomplishments; now, therefore,

10 *Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixty-third*
11 *General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the Senate concurring*
12 *herein:*

13 That Sunday, October 27, 2002, be proclaimed "Celebrate
14 Children Day" in Colorado.

15 *Be It Further Resolved,* That on October 27, 2002, each adult
16 citizen of Colorado is encouraged to set aside a special time to support,
17 embrace, and listen to a child of Colorado.