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State of Nevada



Senate Joint Resolution No. 2

Memorializing the Congress and the President of the United States to cause to be issued silver dollars commemorating the centennial of the admission of the State of Nevada into the Union.

WHEREAS, By Act of Congress Nevada was admitted to the Union October 31, 1864; and

WHEREAS, During the year 1964, the people of the State of Nevada expect to celebrate, with creditable pageantry and commemoration, the 100th anniversary of the admission of the State of Nevada into the Union; and

WHEREAS, Nevada was one of the richest and most famous silver producing areas of all time; and

WHEREAS, the revenues resulting from such silver production aided materially in maintaining the integrity of the Union and in the great industrial expansion of the entire country; and

WHEREAS, Nevada is known as the Silver State; and

WHEREAS, Congress has many times previously authorized the issuance by the United States Treasury of commemorative coins for other states; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, JOINTLY, That the Legislature of the State of Nevada respectfully memorializes the Congress of the United States to enact such legislation, and the President of the United States to take such action as may be necessary to issue commemorative silver coins of the denomination of \$1, commemorating the 100th anniversary of the admission of the State of Nevada to the Union; and be it further

RESOLVED, That such coins be delivered to the Nevada centennial commission upon payment therefor, and that such commission be, and it hereby is, authorized to sell and distribute such coins; and be it further

RESOLVED, That certified copies of this resolution be prepared and transmitted forthwith by the Legislative Counsel to the President and Vice President of the United States, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and each Senator and the Representative from the State of Nevada in the Congress of the United States.

ADOPTED BY THE SENATE
January 25, 1960

President of the Senate

Secretary of the Senate

ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY
February 1, 1960

Speaker of the Assembly

Chief Clerk of the Assembly

