

declaring that Interstate Route 97 is dedicated by the State of Maryland in memory of Senator John A. Cade.

WHEREAS, John A. Cade served in the Senate of Maryland with unparalleled distinction from 1975 to 1996 and through his service brought great honor to the Senate and the State; and

WHEREAS, Senator Cade was greatly respected by members of the General Assembly, his constituents, and citizens throughout the State for his legendary mastery of the complexities of legislation, budgets, and public policy, his strong and fair leadership, and his commitment to the State of Maryland and the service of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of Maryland wishes to express its profound respect for, and deep gratitude to, Senator John A. Cade, and to establish an appropriate, lasting memorial to Senator Cade in honor of his dedicated service to the State of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, Senator Cade played an instrumental role in promoting, planning, funding, and ensuring completion of Interstate Route 97, a segment of which runs between U.S. Route 50 and New Cut Road in Legislative District 33, the district Senator Cade represented since its creation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Maryland portion of Interstate Route 97 be dedicated to the memory of the late Senator John A. Cade; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the General Assembly of Maryland requests the State Highway Administration to take all necessary steps, in consultation with appropriate federal highway officials, to erect a suitable sign or other memorial declaring that the Maryland portion of I-97 is dedicated by the State of Maryland in memory of Senator John A. Cade; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded by the Department of Legislative Services to the Honorable Parris N. Glendening, Governor of Maryland; the Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr., President of the Senate of Maryland; the Honorable Casper R. Taylor, Jr., Speaker of the House of Delegates; David L. Winstead, Secretary of the Maryland Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 8755, BWI Airport, 21240-0755; and Parker F. Williams, Administrator, State Highway Administration, 707 North Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md. 21202.

Signed May 21, 1998.