

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 502**

**Senator Gavarone**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Robison, Curphey O'Connell on its One Hundred  
Fiftieth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly 1  
of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Robison, Curphey & O'Connell on 2  
the auspicious occasion of its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary; and 3

WHEREAS, It is fitting that Robison, Curphey & O'Connell be 4  
recognized for a century and a half of commitment to its clients 5  
throughout Toledo and the surrounding communities, including Findlay 6  
and Waterville. Formed in 1874 by Clarence Brown and Frederick Geddes, 7  
the office handled the legal interests of the area's early railroad 8  
companies that connected Toledo to the rest of the nation during the 9  
Industrial Revolution, and additionally, it provided stalwart 10  
representation to the founder of the automatic bottle-making machine, 11  
Michael Owens, and glass magnate, Edmund Drummond Libbey. Today, RCO 12  
Law continues to be held in great reverence, and it has built upon its 13  
tradition of remarkable professional services; and 14

WHEREAS, The conscientious people who have been a part of Robison, 15  
Curphey & O'Connell can be proud of their association with this 16  
impressive practice, for they have established a model of excellence 17  
rooted in clear objectives and firm resolve. Indeed, the firm's 18  
diligent partners, attorneys, and legal staff have dedicated 19  
themselves to establishing lasting relationships across Ohio and 20  
beyond, and their accomplishments have been outstanding; and 21

WHEREAS, Robison, Curphey & O'Connell has provided essential 22  
representation to many Ohioans and Ohio businesses, and its devotion 23  
to integrity has earned it distinction and notoriety. We praise the 24  
firm on this important milestone and look with optimism to a future 25  
that continues to thrive as a result of its estimable legal work; 26

therefore be it 27

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General 28  
Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, we applaud Robison, 29  
Curphey & O'Connell on one hundred and fifty years of counsel to the 30  
Toledo community and salute it as a fine Ohio endeavor; and be it 31  
further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Robison, Curphey & O'Connell. 34