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**Resolution Recognizing the Contribution Dr. Debora L. Scheffel  
Has Made to the Education of Children in Colorado**

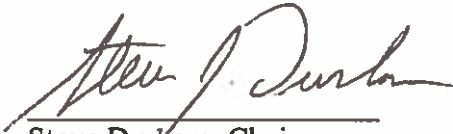
- WHEREAS:** Dr. Debora Scheffel has served on the State Board of Education since January 2011; and
- WHEREAS:** During her term of service, she served on the Colorado Special Education Advisory Committee as a strong advocate for children with cognitive learning disabilities; and
- WHEREAS:** During her term of service, she served as the Republican legislative liaison; and
- WHEREAS:** As the Dean of the School of Education, Colorado Christian University, Dr. Scheffel’s ability to link higher education and K-12 issues in education has been a tremendous asset in Educator preparation; and
- WHEREAS:** Dr. Scheffel’s expertise in literacy and firsthand knowledge of CDE from having led the Reading First unit has been a tremendous advantage in developing the READ Act; and
- WHEREAS:** Dr. Scheffel’s expertise in assessments and academic standards continually provided thought-provoking conversations on how to best serve the needs of Colorado children; and
- WHEREAS:** Dr. Scheffel has worked tirelessly to protect privacy rights of children and parents; and
- WHEREAS:** Dr. Scheffel has supported many choice and educational programs in order for parents to select the best option for their child; and



**WHEREAS:** Over the course of her service, the State of Colorado has undergone tremendous education reforms, including the Licensed Personnel Performance Evaluation Act, the Colorado Reading to Ensure Act, and Student Data Privacy. She, along with the Board, as a whole, supported the Department's ongoing efforts to implement Colorado's education reform agenda.

**BE IT  
RESOLVED:** The Colorado State Board of Education formally recognizes Dr. Debora L. Scheffel for her six years of dedication to the children of Colorado through her service on the Colorado State Board of Education.

DATED THIS 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER, 2016



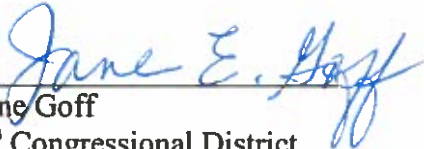
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