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## NATIONAL COUNCIL OF INSURANCE LEGISLATORS (NCOIL)

### Resolution in Honor of Past President Senator Carroll Leavell (NM)

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*\*To be considered during the Executive Committee Meeting on July 22, 2023*

*\*Sponsored by Sen. Bob Hackett (OH); Sen. Travis Holdman (IN); Sen. Jerry Klein (ND); Rep. Matt Lehman (IN)*

**WHEREAS**, Carroll Leavell served in the New Mexico State Senate for over 20 years having first been elected in 1996; and

**WHEREAS**, Carroll applied his experience as an insurance agency owner to his role serving on the Senate Finance Committee, developing laws in the best interest of his constituents; and

**WHEREAS**, Carroll was an active and dedicated NCOIL member having served with distinction in all officer positions, culminating in his election as NCOIL President in 2012; and

**WHEREAS**, throughout his time at NCOIL, Carroll was at the forefront of several important NCOIL efforts including being the sponsor of:

- Model Act Regarding Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage in Professional Employer Organization (PEO) Relationships.
- Model State Structured Settlement Protection Act.
- Resolution Reaffirming Support for the US State-Based System in International Insurance Regulatory Discussions.
- Resolution Urging Producer Licensing Modernization.

**WHEREAS**, Carroll was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather to his wife Bobbie, his daughters Terri and Kim, five grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren; and

**WHEREAS**, Carroll passed away on June 26, 2023 and NCOIL mourns his loss; and

**WHEREAS**, NCOIL lawmakers and participants remember warmly the times they worked with, laughed with, and grew to know him as a great legislator and truly good man; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that NCOIL lawmakers Recognize and Honor Senator Leavell for his significant personal and professional contributions he made to NCOIL over the years and acknowledges him as a dedicated and extremely effective legislator; and

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that NCOIL, with great appreciation, will send this resolution to Carroll's family in honor of his special place in NCOIL history.