

**No. R-340. House concurrent resolution congratulating Weidmann Electrical Technology Inc. on the 50th anniversary of its St. Johnsbury plant.**

(H.C.R.283)

Offered by: Representatives Beck of St. Johnsbury, Campbell of St. Johnsbury, Feltus of Lyndon, Martel of Waterford, Quimby of Concord, Seymour of Sutton, and Toll of Danville

Offered by: Senators Benning and Kitchel

Whereas, in 1969, Gordon Mills and Robert Fuehrer established a local company, and in 1971 the Swiss firm Weidmann, which specializes in insulation designed for transformers, purchased the plant, and

Whereas, in 2010, Weidmann invested \$40 million to expand the St. Johnsbury plant and install new technology, and

Whereas, the plant has taken major steps to become more environmentally conscious, including using renewable material in its core products, working with Efficiency Vermont, and expanding its alternative-power customer base, and

Whereas, in 2020, the plant is economically strong, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates Weidmann Electrical Technology Inc. on the 50th anniversary of its St. Johnsbury plant, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Weidmann plant in St. Johnsbury.