

**No. R-69. House concurrent resolution congratulating the Vermont Student Assistance Corporation on the 30th anniversary of its TRIO Educational Opportunity Center of Vermont.**

(H.C.R.44)

Offered by: All Members of the House

Offered by: All Members of the Senate

Whereas, in 1991, the Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) was awarded its first federal Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) grant to support adult Vermonters who are first in their family to attend college or who are facing financial barriers to pursuing postsecondary opportunities, and

Whereas, VSAC operates one of the nation's 139 EOCs, and on an annual basis, VSAC's EOC works with over 1,500 Vermonters, and

Whereas, the EOC provides a foundation for Vermont's workforce development needs and consistently surpasses its annual objectives, and

Whereas, over three decades, VSAC's EOC has assisted 60,000 low-income Vermont adults in charting a path to a brighter future, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the Vermont Student Assistance Corporation on the 30th anniversary of its TRIO Educational Opportunity Center of Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to VSAC.