

1958 EXTRA SESSION RESOLUTION DULY ENROLLED
AND DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

RESOLUTION NO. 1—S. F. No. 2

[Not Coded]

A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to extend the benefits provided for in the Federal Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States has devised and made available for the states a plan for the extension of unemployment compensation to unemployed persons under state plans, known as Public Law 85-411 of the 85th Congress, approved June 4, 1958, and

WHEREAS, said plan does not provide for the extension of payment of unemployment compensation to residents of the State of Minnesota and other states who are subject to the provisions of the Federal Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act, and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has usurped the field of providing a fund and imposing a tax upon railroad companies' payrolls and provided for a national system of unemployment insurance for railroad employees, and

WHEREAS, Congress has not provided for a plan of extension of payments to unemployed persons who are under the said Federal Railroad Unemployment Insurance law, and

WHEREAS, there are a great number of railroad employees affected by unemployment in the State of Minnesota and other states, and

WHEREAS, all residents of the state should be treated fairly and equally so far as unemployment compensation is concerned,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Congress of the United States be memorialized and urged to pass an extension of the Federal Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act which would permit the payment of temporary unemployment insurance to railroad employees for an increase of not to exceed fifty per cent of the time and amounts provided for in the present law, to have an effect similar to that provided for in said Public Law 85-411.

Approved June 27, 1958.