A RESOLUTION STATING THE LEGISLATIVE INTENT OF ORANGE COUNTY AND THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY WITH RESPECT TO THE PASSAGE OF ORDINANCES NUMBERS 80-17, 80-18 and 81-11.

PREMISES

1. Orange County has acted by Ordinance to address the issue of nude and semi-nude entertainment occurring in Orange County and its adverse effect upon the public health, safety and welfare.

2. Orange County has acted by Ordinance on three separate occasions.

3. Litigation has been filed claiming that the County Commission of Orange County intended to repeal the first two Ordinances, when in fact this is not the case, and other persons in Orange County have expressed some confusion over the intent underlying the three separate Ordinances.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY FLORIDA:

Section 1. Ordinance numbers 80-17, 80-18 and 81-11 each have and were intended to have a separate and distinct field of operation.

Section 2. The Ordinances were passed with the intent that each stand on its own.

Section 3. Each of the Ordinances was adopted to address a specific problem and type of problem that existed in Orange County and adversely affected the public health, safety and general welfare.

Section 4. When adopting Ordinance number 81-11, Orange County and the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County had absolutely no intent to affect in any way, by repeal, modification or otherwise, the effectiveness and operation of the earlier two Ordinances, Orange County §§80-17 and 80-18.

Section 5. The Ordinances have the following fields of operation:

A. 80-17: prohibits nude and semi-nude entertainment in commercial establishments where alcoholic beverages are sold, dispensed or consumed; authorizes action against the owner or operator; contain various other provisions.

B. 80-18: prohibits the sale, dispensing or consumption of alcoholic beverages in commercial establishments at which nude or semi-nude entertainment, as defined, occurs; authorizes legal action against customers, as well as others; contains various other
provisions.

81-11:

C. regulates nude and semi-nude entertainment, as defined, in commercial establishments in Orange County; applies to owner, operator, entertainer and customer; contains various other provisions.

Section 6. Orange County is currently reviewing Ordinance ##80-17, 80-18 and 81-11 and probably will act by ordinance to combine the three existing ordinances into a single ordinance.

Section 7. This Resolution is adopted solely for the purpose of reiterating the legislative intent of the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County and clarifying the intent and purpose of Orange County Ordinances ##80-17, 80-18 and 81-11 for any persons who may have been in doubt. This Resolution does not and shall not be construed as affecting the provisions of those ordinances.

Section 8. This Resolution takes effect upon adoption.

Adopted this ___ day of February, 1982.

Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

ATTEST:

Clerk to Board of County Commissioners