

House Resolution 2035

By: Representative Drenner of the 85th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Gurmit Kaur; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Gurmit Kaur has demonstrated exceptional dedication to higher education and
3 the advancement of legal studies, serving as an adjunct faculty member at Purdue University
4 Global since 2004; and

5 WHEREAS, since 2007, she has served with distinction as an academic department chair,
6 overseeing multiple legal studies programs and contributing to the academic success of
7 countless students pursuing careers in law and public service; and

8 WHEREAS, Gurmit Kaur has been a leader in academic innovation, working on the
9 development of modularized curriculum, course revisions, and competency-based programs
10 that expand access to high-quality, flexible education for diverse student populations; and

11 WHEREAS, her global perspective in education is reflected in her service as Academic Dean
12 at Kaplan Higher Education, Singapore, from 2009 to 2011, where she played a key role in
13 internationalizing and globalizing curriculum across the Asia Pacific region; and

14 WHEREAS, prior to her academic leadership, she practiced law for 10 years and contributed
15 to legal education internationally by teaching law courses for the University of London
16 External Law Program and at the Malaysia Bar Final examinations; and

17 WHEREAS, Gurmit Kaur's academic achievements include a Bachelor of Laws from the
18 University of London, as well as degrees from the University of Malaya, and her scholarly
19 contributions include publications in the area of civil procedure; and

20 WHEREAS, through her leadership, innovation, and commitment to student success, Gurmit
21 Kaur has made a lasting and meaningful impact on legal education and on the lives of
22 students around the world.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body recognize and commend Gurmit Kaur for her outstanding
25 contributions to higher education and legal studies and extend best wishes for her continued
26 success.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Dr.
29 Gurmit Kaur.