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## NATIONAL SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZES AND HONORS POSTHUMOUSLY SHERIFF LARRY AMERSON (RET) FOR HIS SELFLESS SERVICE AND COMMITMENT TO OUR NATION'S SHERIFFS AND THEIR JAILS

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes Sheriff Larry Amerson, (ret.) for his unwavering devotion to our nation's sheriffs and their jails;

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes Sheriff Larry Amerson's commitment to elevate and expand the training for Sheriffs and their jails;

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes that in 2012 as the elected President of the NSA, Sheriff Larry Amerson was instrumental in the development of NSA's Jails Training Program;

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes that Sheriff Larry Amerson was instrumental in the development of and chaired NSA's highly respected Jails, Detention and Corrections Committee;

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes that Sheriff Larry Amerson was instrumental in the planning and development of the current NSI Jail Administration for Sheriffs Training, as part of NIC's National Sheriffs' Institute;

**WHEREAS**, NSA recognizes that although Sheriff Larry Amerson passed away before the inaugural Jail Administration for Sheriffs' Pilot, his handprint is forever embedded in the curriculum, impacting sheriffs and their jails for years to come;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the National Sheriffs' Association (NSA) hereby recognizes and honors posthumously Sheriff Larry Amerson (ret.) for his unwavering devotion to our nation's Sheriffs and their jails by seeking and advancing excellence in jail-based training. He is a stalwart guardian of all who live and work in our nation's jails and his legacy will live on in the NSI Jail Administration for Sheriffs.