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# H. CON. RES. 180

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. LAZIO of New York (for himself, Mr. DELAY, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STUMP, and Mr. PARKER) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committees on International Relations, and Intelligence (Permanent Select), for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Commending the Americans who served the United States  
during the period known as the Cold War.

Whereas the most dangerous military competition in the history of mankind has come to a close without a nuclear holocaust;

Whereas men and women in the armed forces, intelligence community, and foreign service community of the United States faithfully performed their duties during the period known as the Cold War;

Whereas many of these persons were isolated from family and friends and served under arduous conditions in far away

lands in order to preserve peace and harmony throughout the world;

Whereas these persons performed their duty in the most successful, extended, military competition in the history of mankind and ensured that weapons of mass destruction, capable of destroying all humanity, were never released;

Whereas the self-discipline and dedication of these persons were fundamental to the prevention of a Super Power conflict; and

Whereas the silent determination of these persons brought a peaceful victory to all the people of the world: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*  
 2   *concurring)*, That Congress acknowledges the service and  
 3   sacrifices of these Americans who contributed to historic  
 4   victory in the Cold War.

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