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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 9, 2003

Referred to the Committee on Armed Services

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend members of the United States Armed Forces for their services to the United States in the liberation of Iraq, and for other purposes.

Whereas the valiant and dedicated members of the United States Armed Forces performed in an exceptionally professional manner, befitting of an all-volunteer military force, during Operation Iraqi Freedom;

Whereas the National Guard and the other reserve components of the United States Armed Forces demonstrated their readiness and ability to respond and deploy quickly and were an integral part of Operation Iraqi Freedom;

Whereas the families of the more than 200,000 members of the United States Armed Forces who were called into action in Operation Iraqi Freedom provided exceptional and unwavering support for the United States servicemembers who were deployed to the Middle East; and

Whereas the people of the United States grieve and pray for all those who made the ultimate sacrifice and for those who were injured in the line of duty while serving in Operation Iraqi Freedom: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*
2 *concurring)*, That Congress—

3 (1) commends the members of the United
4 States Armed Forces for their role in Operation
5 Iraqi Freedom, and for serving in that Operation
6 with such distinctive bravery and professionalism;

7 (2) calls on the people of the United States to
8 pay honor and homage to all those who fell in the
9 line of duty in Operation Iraqi Freedom;

10 (3) commends the families of members of the
11 United States Armed Forces for their special role
12 and sacrifices in providing support for United States
13 servicemembers who were deployed to the Middle
14 East for Operation Iraqi Freedom; and

15 (4) expresses deep condolences to the families
16 of the brave men and women who lost their lives
17 during the conflict in Iraq.

Passed the Senate September 5, 2003.

Attest:

EMILY J. REYNOLDS,

Secretary.