110TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. RES. 1130

Recognizing the roles and contributions of America's teachers to building and enhancing our Nation's civic, cultural, and economic well-being.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 22, 2008

Mr. Graves (for himself, Mr. Blunt, Mr. Brady of Texas, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. Fortenberry, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mr. Snyder, Mr. Lobiondo, Mr. Towns, Mr. Kind, Mr. Ross, Mr. Etheridge, Mr. Poe, Mr. Engel, Mrs. Boyda of Kansas, Mr. KIRK, Mr. GORDON of Tennessee, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Aber-CROMBIE, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Burgess, Mr. Honda, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. HAYES, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. DREIER, Mr. McCaul of Texas, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Ramstad, Mr. Walsh of New York, Mr. Hall of Texas, Mr. Gingrey, Mr. Young of Alaska, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Por-TER, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WU, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Arcuri, Mr. Boozman, Mr. Barrow, Mr. Whitfield of Kentucky, Mr. Clay, Mr. Carter, Ms. Sutton, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. Perlmutter, and Mr. Kuhl of New York) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

RESOLUTION

Recognizing the roles and contributions of America's teachers to building and enhancing our Nation's civic, cultural, and economic well-being.

Whereas education and knowledge are the foundation of America's current and future strength;

- Whereas teachers and other education staff have earned and deserve the respect of their students and communities for their selfless dedication to community service and the future of our Nation's children;
- Whereas the purpose of National Teacher Appreciation Week, May 4, 2008, through May 10, 2008, is to raise public awareness of the unquantifiable contributions of teachers and to promote greater respect and understanding for the teaching profession; and
- Whereas a number of organizations representing educators, such as the National Education Association and the National Parent Teacher Association, are hosting teacher appreciation events in recognition of National Teacher Appreciation Week: Now, therefore, be it
 - 1 Resolved, That the United States House of Rep-
 - 2 resentatives thanks and promotes the profession of teach-
 - 3 ing to encourage students, parents, school administrators,
 - 4 and public officials to participate in teacher appreciation
 - 5 events during National Teacher Appreciation Week.

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