

111TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 293

Relative to the death of Henry Louis Bellmon, former United States Senator
for the State of Oklahoma.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 29, 2009

Mr. REID (for himself, Mr. McCONNELL, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BAYH, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. BENNET, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOND, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. BURRIS, Mr. BYRD, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. CASEY, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. COCHRAN, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. CORKER, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. DODD, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. ENZI, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. FRANKEN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. GREGG, Mrs. HAGAN, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. HATCH, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. INOUE, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. JOHANNES, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KAUFMAN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. KIRK, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. KOHL, Mr. KYL, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEMIEUX, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. MCCAIN, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. MIKULSKI, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. REED, Mr. RISCH, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. SHELBY, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SPECTER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. THUNE, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. VITTER, Mr. VOINOVICH, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WEBB, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. WYDEN) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Relative to the death of Henry Louis Bellmon, former United
States Senator for the State of Oklahoma.

Whereas Henry Bellmon served as a United States Marine from 1942–1946, where he served as a platoon tank commander in the Pacific theater, and was awarded the Legion of Merit for his service in Saipan and the Silver Star for bravery in action on Iwo Jima;

Whereas Henry Bellmon served as a Major in the Marine Corps Reserve until 1954;

Whereas Henry Bellmon served two non-consecutive terms as governor of the State of Oklahoma from 1963–1967, when he was elected as the State’s first Republican governor, and from 1987–1991; and

Whereas Henry Bellmon served the people of Oklahoma with distinction for 12 years in the United States Senate from 1969–1981: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with profound
2 sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death
3 of the Honorable Henry Bellmon, former member of the
4 United States Senate.

5 *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate commu-
6 nicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives
7 and transmit an enrolled copy thereof to the family of the
8 deceased.

9 *Resolved*, That when the Senate adjourns today, it
10 stand adjourned as a further mark of respect to the mem-
11 ory of the Honorable Henry Bellmon.

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