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# H. RES. 446

Expressing support for designation of October 2 as “National Manufacturing Day”.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 28, 2015

Mrs. DINGELL (for herself and Mrs. MILLER of Michigan) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing support for designation of October 2 as “National Manufacturing Day”.

Whereas United States manufacturers provide 17,600,000 jobs in the United States;

Whereas manufacturing accounted for 12 percent of Gross Domestic Product in 2014;

Whereas including pay and benefits, the annual mean earnings of a United States manufacturing worker is \$77,506, almost \$15,000 higher than the average wage of all other industries;

Whereas manufacturing continues to be the backbone of the United States Economy, contributing \$2,090,000,000,000 to the economy in 2014;

Whereas manufacturers continue to transform the marketplace, performing more than 75 percent of non-government research and development, accounting for more innovation than any other sector;

Whereas United States manufacturing workers' productivity exceeds that of any other manufacturing economy; and

Whereas in the past five 5 years, United States manufacturing has added over 700,000 jobs, marking the fastest pace of job growth since the 1990s: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2               (1) recognizes the critical role manufacturing  
3       plays in the United States economy creating good  
4       paying jobs that help support working families; and

5               (2) supports the designation of “National Man-  
6       ufacturing Day”, which honors the hardworking men  
7       and women of the United States manufacturing sec-  
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