

112TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. RES. 160

Designating May 6, 2011, as “Military Spouse Appreciation Day”.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 3, 2011

Mr. BURR (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mrs. BOXER) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

Designating May 6, 2011, as “Military Spouse Appreciation Day”.

Whereas the month of May marks “National Military Appreciation Month”;

Whereas military spouses provide vital support to men and women in the Armed Forces and help to make the service of such men and women in the Armed Forces possible;

Whereas military spouses have been separated from loved ones because of deployment in support of overseas contingency operations and other military missions carried out by the Armed Forces;

Whereas the establishment of “Military Spouse Appreciation Day” is an appropriate way to honor the spouses of members of the Armed Forces; and

Whereas May 6, 2011, would be an appropriate date to establish as “Military Spouse Appreciation Day”: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2           (1) designates May 6, 2011, as “Military  
3       Spouse Appreciation Day”;

4           (2) honors and recognizes the contributions  
5       made by spouses of members of the Armed Forces;  
6       and

7           (3) encourages the people of the United States  
8       to observe “Military Spouse Appreciation Day” to  
9       promote awareness of the contributions of spouses of  
10       members of the Armed Forces and the importance  
11       of the role of military spouses in the lives of mem-  
12       bers of the Armed Forces and veterans.

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