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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2021

HOUSE RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ASSUNTA D'AMBRA

Introduced By: Representatives Shekarchi, Solomon, McNamara, Bennett, Vella-Wilkinson, Shanley, Blazejewski, and Filippi

Date Introduced: January 26, 2021

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Assunta "Sue" D'Ambra of Warwick passed away on January 21, 2021. She
2 was the devoted wife of the late Americo D'Ambra. She was born in Providence, the daughter of
3 the late Chiara Grasso and the late Rocco Grasso; and

4 WHEREAS, A hardworking woman, Assunta D'Ambra had worked for many years as an
5 Administrative Assistant for D'Ambra Construction. Prior to that she was employed as a lunch aid
6 for the Warwick School Department and ARA Food services. As a young woman, she worked in
7 the plumbing department at City Hall Hardware in Providence; and

8 WHEREAS, Assunta D'Ambra leaves behind her children, Michael D'Ambra and his
9 wife, Patricia, John D'Ambra and his wife, Janet, Jerry D'Ambra, Sr., and Lisa D'Ambra. She was
10 the devoted grandmother to twelve grandchildren, Michael D'Ambra, Mary Ann D'Ambra, Cindy
11 D'Ambra, Robert D'Ambra, Jeffrey D'Ambra, Melinda D'Ambra, McKayla D'Ambra, Jerry
12 D'Ambra, Jr., David D'Ambra, Daria D'Ambra, Holly Fricker, and Brian Burk. She also leaves
13 behind seventeen great-grandchildren, Michael D'Ambra, Joseph D'Ambra, Donald D'Ambra,
14 Jane D'Ambra, Alexandra D'Ambra, Johnny Carraturo, Joshua D'Ambra, Isabella D'Ambra,
15 Robert D'Ambra, Jordan D'Ambra, Jaykob D'Ambra, Morgan D'Ambra, Emersynn D'Ambra,
16 Felicity Fricker, Lanse Burk, and Myah and Mason Cabral, and many nieces and nephews. Mrs.
17 D'Ambra was predeceased by her daughter, Mary Linda D'Ambra, her sisters Marie Restivo,
18 Antonetta Grasso and Rose Landry, and her brothers, Costanzo Grasso, Santo Grasso, Saverio
19 Grasso, Anthony Grasso, and John Grasso; and

20 WHEREAS, The most important job in Mrs. D'Ambra's life was that of raising her

1 family, which was her greatest joy in life. She was a beloved wife and mother and while she will
2 be greatly missed by her family and many friends, the memory of her joyful and loving spirit will
3 live on forever in the hearts of all who knew her; now, therefore be it

4 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island hereby
5 expresses its deepest condolences to the D'Ambra Family on the passing of Assunta D'Ambra;
6 and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
8 transmit duly certified copies of this resolution to Michael D'Ambra, John D'Ambra, Jerry
9 D'Ambra, Sr., and Lisa D'Ambra.

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