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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

SENATE RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ANGELO M. ACCIARDO

Introduced By: Senators Lombardo, and Walaska

Date Introduced: May 08, 2013

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

1 WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this Senate has learned of the passing of Angelo
2 M. Acciaro, a man who was deeply devoted to his family. He was born eighty-seven years ago
3 in Johnston to the late Angelo and Rose (DiLullo) Acciaro. Angelo was the husband of Ida
4 (Russo) Acciaro for sixty-two wonderful years; and

5 WHEREAS, Our thoughts and hearts hold great empathy and sorrow for his family. We
6 grieve with his children, A. Michael "Mickey" Acciaro and his wife, Melody, Paula Acciaro,
7 and Joseph Acciaro. Angelo was also the cherished grandfather to Michael Acciaro and his
8 wife, Ali, Mia Acciaro, Christopher Ballirano, and Joseph Acciaro, and was the brother to
9 Vincent, Albert "Tuffy," Raymond, and Ernest Acciaro, Ann Corrente, Virginia Salzillo, and
10 Rose Grasso; and

11 WHEREAS, He was preceded in death by his siblings, Thomas, Carl, Louis, Pasco, and
12 Ralph Acciaro, and son, Steven Acciaro; and

13 WHEREAS, Angelo worked for Forest Hills Nursery before becoming co-owner of
14 Acciaro Bros. Inc. and the owner of A. Acciaro Construction. He was a heavy equipment
15 operator and a member of Local 57, since 1947, International Union of Operating Engineers,
16 United Commercial Travelers (U.C.T), as well as a member of the Santa Maria di Prata Society in
17 Cranston. He took great pride in his specialty as a Grader Operator; and

18 WHEREAS, Even though we are diminished by this loss and mourn the passing of
19 Angelo, so must we celebrate the spirit, generosity, and courage with which he lived every day of
20 his life; and

1 WHEREAS, A devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend, Angelo M.
2 Acciardo was especially proud of his children and grandchildren. He was a gentle man whose
3 tremendous kindness will go on to serve as an inspiring legacy for others; now, therefore be it

4 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
5 hereby expresses our deepest sympathy to the family of Angelo M. Acciardo. He will be truly
6 missed; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
8 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mrs. Ida Acciardo.

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