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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

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JOINT RESOLUTION

RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING RHODE ISLAND EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE THEIR  
EMPLOYEES WHO ARE VETERANS WITH TIME OFF ON VETERANS' DAY

Introduced By: Senators Felag, Pichardo, Lombardi, Walaska, and McCaffrey

Date Introduced: February 27, 2014

Referred To: Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

(Human Services)

1 WHEREAS, Veterans' Day has been set aside to honor the men and women who have  
2 served in our country's Armed Forces; and

3 WHEREAS, Rhode Islanders greatly value the service to our country and state given by  
4 veterans; and

5 WHEREAS, Veterans should be honored and thanked in a public way on Veterans' Day;  
6 now, therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That this General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island and Providence  
8 Plantations hereby respectfully requests that employers in the state give special consideration to  
9 any veteran in their employ and grant to them time off on the day on which Veterans' Day is  
10 observed; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to  
12 transmit duly certified copies of this resolution to the Governor of the State of Rhode Island and  
13 the Director of the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

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