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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2020

HOUSE RESOLUTION

EXTENDING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF EUGENIO DUARTE

Introduced By: Representatives Mattiello, Shekarchi, Serodio, Amore, and Kazarian

Date Introduced: January 28, 2020

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, It is with utmost sadness that this House has learned of the passing of
2 Eugenio Duarte, the beloved husband of Julia Duarte for forty-four years, and the cherished father
3 of two daughters, our friend and colleague, Dulcinea De Oliveira and her husband, Assis, and
4 Melissa Duarte; and

5 WHEREAS, A longtime resident of the City of East Providence, Mr. Duarte had been
6 born in Brava, Cape Verde. He was the son of the late Candida Ferreira Duarte, and the brother of
7 Maria Teresa Perret, and Alberto Gomes; and

8 WHEREAS, A hardworking man, Mr. Duarte had been employed at Speidel, Inc., for
9 twenty-seven years before his retirement; and

10 WHEREAS, A quiet and humble man, Mr. Duarte was devoted to his family and
11 particularly proud of his two grandchildren, our friend and colleague, Shanna De Oliveira and
12 Brian De Oliveira, and his beautiful great-granddaughter, Layla De Oliveira; and

13 WHEREAS, In addition to his family, Mr. Duarte enjoyed fishing and was highly
14 admired and actively involved in the Cape Verde community and within the neighborhood; and

15 WHEREAS, Eugenio Duarte was a gentle man, who took pride in protecting and taking
16 care of his family and those he loved. He will be truly missed by all who had the good fortune to
17 have shared his life; now, therefore be it

18 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
19 Providence Plantations hereby expresses our deepest sympathies on the passing of Eugenio
20 Duarte; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
2 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Dulcinea De Oliveira and Family, and Melissa
3 Duarte.

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