SENATE MEMORIAL 74

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A MEMORIAL

RECOGNIZING THE EMPLOYER SUPPORT OF THE GUARD AND RESERVE

PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, in 1972, the United States secretary of defense
created a national organization, the employer support of the
guard and reserve, to assist employers and citizen soldiers;
and

WHEREAS, the mission of the employer support of the guard
and reserve program is to promote a culture in which all New
Mexico employers support and value the military service of
their employees and citizen soldiers; and

WHEREAS, the employer support of the guard and reserve
program recognizes the outstanding support of New Mexico
employers for their citizen soldiers by increasing awareness of
the federal Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment

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Rights Act of 1964 and by resolving conflict through mediation;
and

WHEREAS, the employer support of the guard and reserve
program provides employers and citizens with the opportunity to
show their support by signing a "statement of support" that
outlines the important areas governing employer and employee
relations; and

WHEREAS, the employer support of the guard and reserve
program recognizes the importance of having citizen soldiers
with meaningful jobs and actively encourages New Mexico
employers to hire current and former members of the national
guard and reserves and their family members;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE
OF NEW MEXICO that the employer support of the guard and
reserve program be recognized for the valuable service it
provides to soldiers and their families; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be
transmitted to the brigadier general of the employer support of
the guard and reserve program.

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