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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR

RESOLUTIONS MEMORIALIZING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO ENACT LEGISLATION TO AWARD POSTHUMOUS CITIZENSHIP TO WLADYSLAW STANISZEWSKI.

WHEREAS, WLADYSLAW STANISZEWSKI, A CORPORAL IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS WAS KILLED IN ACTION IN VIETNAM IN JULY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVEN; AND

WHEREAS, THE SAID WLADYSLAW STANISZEWSKI WAS NOT A UNITED STATES CITIZEN AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH DUE TO WOUNDS RECEIVED IN COMBAT AS A UNITED STATES MARINE; AND

WHEREAS, IT WAS CORPORAL STANISZEWSKI'S AVOWED DESIRE AND INTENT TO BECOME A UNITED STATES CITIZEN; AND

WHEREAS, HE IS THE ONLY UNITED STATES SERVICEMAN TO DIE IN VIETNAM WHO IS NOT \overline{A} UNITED STATES CITIZEN; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, THAT THE MASSACHUSETTS SENATE RESPECTFULLY URGES THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO ENACT LEGISLATION TO AWARD POSTHUMOUS CITIZENSHIP TO WLADYSLAW STANISZEWSKI, A CORPORAL IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS WHO DIED IN COMBAT IN VIETNAM; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, THAT COPIES OF THESE RESOLUTIONS BE TRANSMITTED FORTHWITH BY THE CLERK OF THE SENATE TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF EACH BRANCH OF CONGRESS AND TO THE MEMBERS THEREOF FROM THIS COMMONWEALTH.

SENATE, ADOPTED, AUGUST 6, 1984.

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CLERK OF THE SENATE

OFFERED BY:

WILLIAM M. BULGER PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SENATOR ANNA P. BUCKLEY