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# S. RES. 118

Expressing condolences on the death of Diana, Princess of Wales, and designating September 6, 1997, as a “National Day of Recognition for the Humanitarian Efforts of Diana, Princess of Wales”.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 3, 1997

Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. SPECTER, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. BIDEN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. DODD, Mr. GRAHAM, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing condolences on the death of Diana, Princess of Wales, and designating September 6, 1997, as a “National Day of Recognition for the Humanitarian Efforts of Diana, Princess of Wales”.

Whereas the Senate and the American people heard the announcement of the death of Diana, Princess of Wales, with profound sorrow and deep regret;

Whereas the Princess of Wales touched the lives of millions of Americans and people throughout the world as an example of compassion and grace;

Whereas the Princess of Wales was a committed and caring mother who successfully raised two young sons under great pressure and public scrutiny;

Whereas the Senate recognizes the tireless humanitarian efforts of the Princess of Wales, including the areas of—

(1) raising awareness of and attention to breast cancer research and treatment;

(2) HIV/AIDS, particularly in the areas of pediatric AIDS, educating the public regarding the facts of HIV/AIDS transmission, and fostering a public attitude that is intolerant of discrimination against people with HIV/AIDS;

(3) banning antipersonnel landmines from the arsenals of war, as these indiscriminate weapons often result in casualties to civilians, including children, sometimes many years after the armed conflict in which the mines were used; and

(4) eliminating the problem of homelessness around the world: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2               (1) extends to the people of the United King-  
3       dom sincere condolences and sympathy on the death  
4       of Diana, Princess of Wales;

5               (2) recognizes the extraordinary impact of the  
6       Princess of Wales' humanitarian efforts around the  
7       world; and

8               (3) designates September 6, 1997, as a “Na-  
9       tional Day of Recognition for the Humanitarian Ef-  
10      forts of Diana, Princess of Wales”.

1        SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Senate shall transmit  
2 an enrolled copy of this resolution to the family of Diana,  
3 Princess of Wales.

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