Whereas the University of the Pacific was the first degree-granting university to be established in California's San Joaquin Valley; Whereas the University of the Pacific's alumni are leaders in California and the western States in the professions of governing, ministry, psychiatry, education, religion, musical and theatrical performance, business, and engineering; and Whereas in recognition of the historic chartering of the University of the Pacific by the California Supreme Court, the Chief Justice of California is joining with others to recognize the fulfillment of the University of the Pacific's Charter of Establishment: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) recognizes the University of the Pacific as a leader and pioneering innovator in higher education; and
(2) congratulates the University of the Pacific, and its faculty, staff, students, and alumni on the occasion of the Sesquicentennial Anniversary of the granting of the University of the Pacific's charter.

SENATE RESOLUTION 125—COMMEMORATING THE MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL ALL-STAR GAME AND CONGRATULATING THE SEATTLE MARINERS

Ms. CANTWELL (for herself and Mrs. MURRAY) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

Whereas the Seattle Mariners franchise is honored to host the Major League Baseball All-Star Game (in this resolution referred to as the “All-Star Game”) for the second time, and the first time at beautiful Safeco Field; Whereas the game of baseball is widely considered America’s pastime, inspiring, challenging, and bringing together generations of all backgrounds; Whereas the 72nd All-Star Game on July 10, 2001, is the fans’ tribute to the skill, work ethic, dedication, and discipline of the best players in the game of baseball; Whereas the players selected for the All-Star Game are an inspiration to baseball fans across the world; Whereas 4 Seattle Mariners players (Bret Boone, Edgar Martinez, John Olerud, and Ichiro Suzuki) were selected by fans from around the world to start for the American League in the All-Star Game, and American League All-Star Game Manager Joe Torre chose three Mariners pitchers (Fredy Garcia, Jeff Nelson, and Kazuhiro Sasaki), and one Mariners fielder (outfielder Mike Cameron) to be on the All-Star Game roster, and Mariners Manager Lou Piniella to be an assistant coach; Whereas Ichiro Suzuki, in his first year in Major League Baseball, received more votes to play in the All-Star Game than any other player; Whereas the Seattle Mariners have reached the All-Star break with a record of 54-49, the fourth best record at such point in the season in the history of Major League Baseball; Whereas this remarkable record has been reached not only by the individual efforts of the team’s 8 All-Stars, but because of the teamwork and timely contributions of every teammate and an extraordinary coaching staff led by Manager Lou Piniella; Whereas the teamwork, work ethic, and dedication of the players and coaches of the Seattle Mariners is truly a remarkable achievement; and Whereas the Seattle Mariners have reached the All-Star break with a record of 54-49, the fourth best record at such point in the season in the history of Major League Baseball; Whereas this remarkable record has been reached not only by the individual efforts of the team’s 8 All-Stars, but because of the teamwork and timely contributions of every teammate and an extraordinary coaching staff led by Manager Lou Piniella; Whereas the teamwork, work ethic, and dedication of the players and coaches of the Seattle Mariners is truly a remarkable achievement.

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