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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Kristina M. LeGrand upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 25 years of distinguished service to the FDNY African Heritage Society

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to call attention to the dedicated efforts of those individuals from across the State of New York who volunteer their time and energies in service to the community; and

WHEREAS, Kristina M. LeGrand has given not only of her time and energies but also of her competence, intelligence and leadership and consequently has been designated for special recognition; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Kristina M. LeGrand upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 25 years of distinguished service to the FDNY African Heritage Society; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism is an essential element of all societies; it provides a way in which the human values of community, caring and serving can be sustained and strengthened; and

WHEREAS, Volunteerism promotes family and community solidarity; most importantly, people who volunteer their time in civic and charitable endeavors inspire others to the call of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, Kristina M. LeGrand has been called upon to contribute her time and talents to countless civic and charitable endeavors and has always given of herself unstintingly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the entire period of her community service, a period of constructive involvement, Kristina M. LeGrand has stood constant in dignity, good grace and humor; and

WHEREAS, Rare indeed is the impressive dedication shown by an individ-

ual for the benefit of others which Kristina M. LeGrand has displayed throughout her life; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Kristina M. LeGrand upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition after 25 years of distinguished service to the FDNY African Heritage Society; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Kristina M. LeGrand.