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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Imuwahen Osasuyi, AFP upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Ambassador for Christ International Outreach Ministry and Gateway Christian Center on Sunday, May 4, 2014

WHEREAS, The character and richness of religious and community life in this noble Empire State are nourished and fulfilled through the faithful concern and selfless devotion of those who would commit their energies and purpose to the ministry of others; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to bring full recognition and just tribute to those individuals who distinguish themselves and the ministry through their unremitting commitment and preeminence of service; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Imuwahen Osasuyi, AFP upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Ambassador For Christ International Outreach Ministry and Gateway Christian Center at its 4th Annual Pastors and Women of Distinction Appreciation Awards Gala on Sunday, May 4, 2014, at Floral Terrace, Floral Park, New York; and

WHEREAS, Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Osasuyi is being recognized for her exemplary work and commitment to her community, which serves to empower others; and

WHEREAS, Born on August 30, 1948 in Edo State, Nigeria, Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Osasuyi holds a Doctor of Divinity (D.D.) from J.B.C. University and Seminary; and

WHEREAS, First Lady and Coordinator General of the Chosen Women Fellowship International of Christ's Chosen Church of God International, Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Osasuyi was instrumental in the building of a Christian Center in Nigeria to serve the African community at large

by offering educational, health and wellness opportunities to both the adult and youth population; and

WHEREAS, Furthermore, dedicated to reaching and changing lives within the community, an elementary school, secondary school, orphanage, retreat center, and vocational bible school were also established; and

WHEREAS, With her throughout have been her husband of 42 years, nine children, and many grandchildren, all of whom feel privileged to be a part of her life and rejoice in her achievements; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when a person of such noble aims and accomplishments is brought to our attention it is appropriate to publicly and jubilantly proclaim and commend that individual for the edification of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Imuwahen Osasuyi, AFP upon the occasion of her designation for special recognition by the Ambassador For Christ International Outreach Ministry and Gateway Christian Center on Sunday, May 4, 2014, noting her unremitting and compassionate faith and her exemplary service to God, man, and her community; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Most Senior Reverend Dr. Grace Imuwahen Osasuyi, AFP.