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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Camden Central School District Superintendent Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant upon the occasion of his retirement after many distinguished years as an educator

WHEREAS, New York State's commitment to education is unparalleled; its history and stature are secured by the superlative caliber of its educational professionals and the students they inspire; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge the significant milestones in the distinguished careers of those outstanding educational leaders, whose dedication and achievements have been instrumental in developing character and academic excellence in the young people of New York State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Camden Central School District Superintendent Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant upon the occasion of his retirement after many distinguished years as an educator; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant, of North Bay, began his illustrious career in education at the Otto Shortell Middle School in Oneida as a health teacher; he will officially retire from the esteemed position of Superintendent on June 30, 2014, the last day of the 2013-14 academic school year; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant had served as Principal of Camden High School before becoming Superintendent; he has been employed by the Camden Central School District since 1990, previously serving as the middle school's Assistant Principal; and

WHEREAS, A 1976 graduate of Mohawk Valley Community College, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant earned both his Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Health Education, from SUNY Brockport and SUNY Cortland respectively; he

earned his certificate of advanced study from SUNY Cortland in 1990; and
WHEREAS, Furthermore, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant achieved his Doctorate in
Educational Leadership through NOVA Southeastern University in 2001; he
also completed the Superintendent Development Program through SUNY Oswego
in 2004; and

WHEREAS, Actively involved in the community, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant has
been an honorary firefighter and advanced emergency medical technician
with Camden Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, With him throughout have been his wife, Susan, two daughters,
Tara and Danica, as well as a granddaughter, all of whom feel privileged
to be a part of his life and rejoice in his achievements; and

WHEREAS, Educators like Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant provide a tremendous
service to the future of our State and Nation, inspiring generations of
young people in their educational journeys and ensuring their success in
their future years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant has clearly had an enduring impact on
the youth of the Camden Central School District, as well as on the
community-at-large, and accordingly merits recognition and applause for
his impressive dedication to others; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend the
efforts of those individuals who work to support our proud tradition of
public education by providing their skills and talents to our schools;
now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to
honor Camden Central School District Superintendent Dr. Jeffrey K.
Bryant upon the occasion of his retirement after many distinguished
years as an educator; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dr. Jeffrey K. Bryant.