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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Lilia Langford upon the occasion of her retirement after 46 years of distinguished service to Albany Medical Center

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to acknowledge the significant milestones in the distinguished careers of esteemed residents of this noble Empire State; and

WHEREAS, It is, furthermore, incumbent upon the people of the State of New York to recognize and acknowledge those within our midst who have made significant contributions to the quality of life therein; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Lilia Langford upon the occasion of her retirement after 46 years of distinguished service to Albany Medical Center; and

WHEREAS, For the past 46 years, Lilia Langford rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to Albany Medical Center, earning the admiration, esteem and affection of her colleagues and all she served over the decades; and

WHEREAS, Throughout her tenure, and especially in her 25 years of work with the AIDS Program, Lilia Langford served with loyalty, honor, and compassion; and

WHEREAS, Lilia Langford truly distinguished herself in the AIDS Program, beginning her work with AIDS patients at a time when stigma was often a barrier to services; over the years, this dedicated woman raised significant funds for AIDS programs, and touched thousands of lives; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such noble aims and accomplishments are brought to our attention, they should be celebrated and recognized by all the citizens of the great State of New York; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Lilia Langford upon the occasion of her retirement after 46 years of distinguished service to Albany Medical Center; and be it further RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Lilia Langford.