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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring veteran Chang Sub Song for his distinguished military service in the Korean War on Veterans Day 2014

WHEREAS, Members of the Armed Services from the State of New York, who have served so valiantly and honorably in wars in which this country's freedom was at stake, as well as in the preservation of peace in peacetime, deserve a special salute from this Legislative Body; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commend those who have served in times of active conflict, as well as those who have served in times of peace; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor veteran Chang Sub Song for his distinguished military service in the Korean War on Veterans Day 2014; and

WHEREAS, A former Master Sergeant, Chang Sub Song is retired from the Republic of Korea Army; and

WHEREAS, A Korean War Veteran, Chang Sub Song was rewarded with former president Rhee's citation of honor for his exceptional military service; and

WHEREAS, The dedication and sacrifices of our military personnel ensure our continued role as a Nation which embodies the ideals of democracy, and is a defender of liberty for peoples throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, Residents of this great State must never forget the courage with which these men and women served their country, and must recognize that no greater debt is owed than that owed to those who gave their lives for their beloved Nation and to those who continue to be missing in action; and

WHEREAS, Having exhibited his patriotism both at home and abroad, Chang Sub Song demonstrated his love for his country and merits forever-

more, the highest respect of his State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, Chang Sub Song deserves to be recognized, commended and thanked by the people of the State of New York for his service and for his dedication to his community, his State and his Nation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor veteran Chang Sub Song for his distinguished military service in the Korean War on Veterans Day 2014; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to veteran Chang Sub Song.