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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Charles Judson Peer upon the occasion of celebrating his 100th Birthday

WHEREAS, Senior citizens bring a wealth of experience and knowledge to the increasingly active roles they play in today's society; their past contributions and future participation are a vital part of, and valuable asset to, the fabric of community life and activity; and WHEREAS, Charles Judson Peer of Lake George, New York, was born on January 11, 1915; and

WHEREAS, This exceptional centenarian, with his zest for life, has inspired and enhanced the lives of his family and friends; and WHEREAS, Charles Judson Peer worked as a caretaker for many of the estates on Lake George, and also served as a golf caddy, fisherman, and guide in the area; and

WHEREAS, This distinguished man has experienced the incredible joys and sorrows characteristic of and reserved for those with the stamina and courage to savor a full life; and

WHEREAS, Charles Judson Peer, along with his wife, the late Arlene Peer, maintained his own beautiful gardens and raised a small menagerie of animals; in addition, he enjoyed sailing the lake on an ice boat he built himself; and

WHEREAS, Today, Charles Judson Peer enjoys spending time with his friends, reminiscing about the old times on Lake George and putting together jigsaw puzzles; and

WHEREAS, This beloved man has enriched the lives of those around him through his joyous end sincere love for others and through the quiescent charm and wisdom which comes only from a fullness of years; and WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to publicly recognize those who have reached such a remarkable age and who have witnessed

and celebrated the innovations, cultural developments and awesome achievements of this country during the last century, while themselves contributing to the growth and excellence of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate Charles Judson Peer upon the occasion of his 100th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Charles Judson Peer.