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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating Theodora Tolle Tynebor upon the occasion of celebrating her 105th 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, This exceptional centenarian, with her zest for life, has inspired and enhanced the lives of her family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Theodora Tolle Tynebor was born in 1911 in Brooklyn, New York; she attended St. Agnes Academic High School in College Point, New York, where she was taught by the Sisters of St. Dominic; and

WHEREAS, Upon her completion of high school, Theodora Tolle Tynebor attended Marymount College in Tarrytown, during which time she spent a year of study in Rome; she went on to earn her Master's degree from St. John's University and pursued a career in the New York City Public School System; and

WHEREAS, Theodora Tolle Tynebor 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, Today, Theodora Tolle Tynebor, affectionately known as Teddy, resides at Dominican Village, where she is known and adored for her funny jokes and warm personality; and

WHEREAS, This beloved woman has enriched the lives of those around her through her joyous and 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 Theodora Tolle Tynebor upon the occasion of her 105th Birthday; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Theodora Tolle Tynebor.