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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Christine Hitchcock upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the William B. Joslin Outstanding Performance Award by New York State Industries for the Disabled

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay just tribute to those citizens who embody the true American spirit, demonstrating personal courage and determination; and WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Christine Hitchcock upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the William B. Joslin Outstanding Performance Award by New York State Industries for the Disabled; and

WHEREAS, The Annual Joslin Awards Program of the New York State Industry for the Disabled (NYSID) respectfully acknowledges individuals in New York communities who strengthen the Preferred Source Program through jobs well done; and

WHEREAS, Christine Hitchcock has been working at the ARC of Ulster-Greene's Pilot Industries Ellenville site since 1995; she sincerely loves her job, and especially enjoys the workday when she is tasked with assembling NYSID Preferred Source drug-testing kits; she takes great pride in her position, appearance and the work that she accomplishes; and

WHEREAS, Over the past year, Christine Hitchcock has increased her speed, assembling more kits, and has also grown in her self-sufficiency by voicing her needs while at work; in addition, she loves to work independently, which allows her to set her own work pace; and WHEREAS, The ARC of Ulster-Greene's drug test kits must be assembled carefully to ensure the product-user receives a kit which functions perfectly to receive accurate results, Christine Hitchcock truly excels

at this; and

WHEREAS, Christine Hitchcock regards many family members as important people in her life, but she also acknowledges the friendships she has made at the ARC of Ulster-Greene's work center; she loves being a part of a team who depend on her abilities to get the work done; and WHEREAS, In the faithful performance of her duties and responsibilities, Christine Hitchcock's ongoing efforts and notable achievements have significantly contributed to bettering the quality of life in her community; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that when individuals of such enduring courage and accomplishment are brought to our attention, it is appropriate to publicly proclaim and commend those individuals for the edification and emulation of others; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Christine Hitchcock upon the occasion of her designation as recipient of the William B. Joslin Outstanding Performance Award by New York State Industries for the Disabled, and to wish her continued success in all of her future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Christine Hitchcock.