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Senate Resolution No. 2093

BY: Senator KENNEDY

COMMEMORATING the 70th Anniversary of the Matthew Glab American Legion Post 1477

WHEREAS, Organizations which serve the interests of the people of the Empire State merit the commendation of this Legislative Body; and

WHEREAS, Veterans 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, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of the Matthew Glab American Legion Post 1477, celebrated on Saturday, May 13, 2017; and

WHEREAS, The American Legion was chartered by Congress in 1919 as a patriotic, war-time veterans organization, devoted to mutual helpfulness; it is a not-for-profit community-service organization which now numbers nearly 2.4 million members, men and women, in approximately 14,000 American Legion posts worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Having exhibited their patriotism both at home and abroad, veterans have demonstrated their love for their country and merit

forevermore, the highest respect of their State and Nation; and

WHEREAS, Our Nation's veterans and veterans organizations deserve to be recognized, commended and thanked by the people of the State of New York for their service and for their dedication to their communities, their State and their Nation; and

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

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of the Matthew Glab American Legion Post 1477; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Matthew Glab American Legion Post 1477.