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Senate Resolution No. 3931

BY: Senator PHILLIPS

HONORING Roger Hyman upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Eli Sassouni Memorial Scholarship by SHAI

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to those young people within the great Empire State who have made strong contributions to their communities and who serve as role models for their peers; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Roger Hyman upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Eli Sassouni Memorial Scholarship by SHAI, to be celebrated at its Biennial Gala on Wednesday, March 14, 2018, at Temple Israel of Great Neck, New York; and

WHEREAS, Sephardic Heritage Alliance Inc. (SHAI) is a non-profit organization dedicated to meeting the needs of the local Persian Jewish community; and

WHEREAS, Roger Hyman, a student at Great Neck North High School, is being recognized with this auspicious award in recognition of his exceptional achievements within the Persian Jewish community; and

WHEREAS, A young man of singular distinction, Roger Hyman has distinguished himself as a young man of superlative ability, establishing a high standard of excellence and purposefulness of life rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, Roger Hyman, in achieving this high honor, may take just pride in the inspiration and contribution to the spirit of excellence he brings to his family, friends, community and school; and

WHEREAS, With his sense of civic duty and his commitment to others, Roger Hyman represents the best development of the potential which is inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Roger Hyman upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Eli Sassouni Memorial Scholarship by SHAI; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Roger Hyman.