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Recognizing and honoring the activities of the United States Coast Guard Yard in Curtis Bay, Maryland, and the service of members and civilian employees of the Coast Guard during World War II.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Ms. MIKULSKI (for herself and Mr. SARBANES) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

RESOLUTION

Recognizing and honoring the activities of the United States Coast Guard Yard in Curtis Bay, Maryland, and the service of members and civilian employees of the Coast Guard during World War II.

Whereas for 95 years, the United States Coast Guard Yard located in Curtis Bay, Maryland, has built a reputation for expert construction and repair of small boats, medium size cutters and buoy tenders, and large cutters;

Whereas through World War I, World War II, the Korean War, and the Vietnam era, the United States Coast Guard Yard has been the primary shipyard for the shipbuilding and repair activities of the Coast Guard;

Whereas employees of the United States Coast Guard Yard have earned numerous honors and awards for their service with the yard, including a Coast Guard Unit Commendation Medal for exceptionally meritorious service, the First Annual Commandant's Quality Award, and, most recently, the 1994 Department of Transportation Secretary's Annual Quality Award;

Whereas the history of the United States Coast Guard Yard reflects a spirit and dedication that is indicative of the "can do" attitude of the Coast Guard and of the employees of the yard;

Whereas the Coast Guard cutters U.S.C.G.C. *Mendota* and U.S.C.G.C. *Pontchartrain* were launched from the United States Coast Guard Yard in 1944;

Whereas the cutters U.S.C.G.C. *Mendota* and U.S.C.G.C. *Pontchartrain* were the largest cutters launched from the United States Coast Guard Yard during World War II;

Whereas on April 25, 1994, the United States Coast Guard Yard will sponsor the Coast Guard National World War II Commemoration Celebration the theme of which celebration will be "The Home Front and Industrial Production"; and

Whereas on that date, the family and friends of employees of the United States Coast Guard Yard will gather to celebrate and honor the successes, sacrifices, and dedication of veterans and former civilian employees of the Coast Guard: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, That the Senate recognize and honor—
- 2 (1) the service of former members and civilian
- 3 employees who served aboard the Coast Guard cut-

1 ters U.S.C.G.C. *Mendota* and U.S.C.G.C. *Pont-*
2 *chartrain* during World War II; and

3 (2) the contributions made by the past and
4 present employees of the United States Coast Guard
5 Yard located in Curtis Bay, Maryland, to the suc-
6 cessful discharge by the Coast Guard of its many
7 duties.

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