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S. RES. 237

To memorialize DEA agent Richard Fass.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 1 (legislative day, JUNE 7), 1994

Mr. DECONCINI (for himself and Mr. D'AMATO) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

To memorialize DEA agent Richard Fass.

Whereas Richard Fass, a Drug Enforcement Administration agent, was slain in the line of duty in Phoenix, Arizona, last night;

Whereas, to date, 26 DEA agents have been killed in the line of duty;

Whereas over 13,000 names have been placed on the Law Enforcement Memorial honoring law enforcement officers from all across the country who have been killed in the line of duty;

Whereas the entire law enforcement family shares in the pain and the grief when a fellow officer is lost;

Whereas it helps to ease the pain and suffering when fellow officers are present to share the loss;

Whereas current law permits active military officers to travel in an official capacity to funerals of fellow colleagues killed in the line of duty;

Whereas the nation mourns the loss of this fine, young, and dedicated law enforcement officer; and

Whereas the Senate sends its condolences to the family of Richard Fass: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Administration should submit leg-
2 islation to the Congress which authorizes Federal law en-
3 forcement officers to be excused from duty without loss
4 or reduction in pay, leave, or credit for service, to attend
5 the funeral of a fellow Federal law enforcement officer who
6 was killed in the line of duty and, in the interim, the At-
7 torney General should exercise her authority to permit
8 DEA personnel to attend the funeral or related services
9 of agent Richard Fass.

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