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S. RES. 24

Designating the week beginning May 4, 2003, as “National Correctional Officers and Employees Week”.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 21, 2003

Mr. BYRD (for himself and Mr. SARBANES) submitted the following resolution;
which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

RESOLUTION

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Whereas the operation of correctional facilities represents a crucial component of the criminal justice system of the United States;

Whereas correctional personnel play a vital role in protecting the rights of the public to be safeguarded from criminal activity;

Whereas correctional personnel are responsible for the care, custody, and dignity of the human beings charged to their care; and

Whereas correctional personnel work under demanding circumstances and face danger in their daily work lives:
Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL**
3 **OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES WEEK.**

4 That the Senate—

5 (1) designates the week beginning May 4, 2003,
6 as “National Correctional Officers and Employees
7 Week”; and

8 (2) requests that the President issue a procla-
9 mation calling upon the people of the United States
10 to observe the week with appropriate ceremonies and
11 activities.

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