

110TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. CON. RES. 91

Honoring Army Specialist Monica L. Brown, of Lake Jackson, Texas, extending gratitude to her and her family, and pledging continuing support for the men and women of the United States Armed Forces.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 18, 2008

Mrs. HUTCHISON (for herself and Mr. CORNYN) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Honoring Army Specialist Monica L. Brown, of Lake Jackson, Texas, extending gratitude to her and her family, and pledging continuing support for the men and women of the United States Armed Forces.

Whereas Monica Brown, a medic serving in the 782nd Brigade Support Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team, was deployed to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom;

Whereas members of the United States Armed Forces were attacked by a roadside bomb in the eastern Paktia province in Afghanistan on April 25, 2007;

Whereas Specialist Monica L. Brown, at age 19, ran through insurgent gunfire to save the lives of fellow wounded sol-

diers injured after the roadside bomb tore through their  
convoy of humvees;

Whereas Monica Brown is 1 of 25,109 women currently serv-  
ing in the Armed Forces in Afghanistan and Iraq, and  
1 of 350,000 women serving in the United States Army;

Whereas Monica Brown is the first woman in Afghanistan  
and only the second female member of the Armed Forces  
since World War II to receive the Silver Star, the Na-  
tion's third-highest medal for valor; and

Whereas the thoughts and prayers of Congress and the peo-  
ple of the United States remain with the families of all  
the members of the Armed Forces who are fighting to en-  
sure the Nation's freedom and safety: Now, therefore, be  
it

1       *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*  
2 *concurring), That Congress—*

3           (1) honors Monica L. Brown, a Specialist in the  
4       United States Army, who risked her life to save the  
5       lives of her fellow wounded soldiers while serving in  
6       the Global War on Terror in Afghanistan, and rec-  
7       ognizes her for her bravery and heroism;

8           (2) extends its deepest gratitude to Monica L.  
9       Brown and her family in Lake Jackson, Texas; and

10          (3) pledges its continued support for the men  
11       and women of the United States Armed Forces.

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