

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 658

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Dan Sheperd for his exemplary service to the nation as a member of the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, Dan Sheperd served in the 82nd Airborne Division in both Afghanistan and Iraq, joining the long tradition of those who have bravely and selflessly served the nation in this historic unit; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of his military career, he was injured numerous times while fighting for our nation and its democratic ideals; he sustained shrapnel wounds, multiple concussions, and injuries from mortar attacks and improvised explosive devices; and

WHEREAS, Our state and nation are fortunate to have young men and women whose love of country compels them to take up military service, and it is truly fitting that Dan Sheperd be recognized for his service and sacrifice; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby commend Dan Sheperd on his courage and devotion to duty as a member of the United States Army and extend to him best wishes for success in all his future endeavors; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for him as an expression of gratitude and esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 29, 2011.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate