SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1127

In Memory of Bryan A. Burgess

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas honors and commemorates the life of Staff Sergeant Bryan A. Burgess, who died March 29, 2011, while serving with the United States Army in Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom; and

WHEREAS, Staff Sergeant Bryan Burgess was assigned to the 2nd Battalion, 327th Infantry Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; he was 29 years old when he made the ultimate sacrifice for his country; and

WHEREAS, Our state and our nation are privileged to have those individuals whose love for their country inspires them to take up military service, yet the tragic death of this fine soldier is a sobering reminder of the cost of war; and

WHEREAS, Bryan Burgess was a man of courage, strength, and loyalty, whose unwavering resolve and selfless service embodied the highest ideals of the armed services; and

WHEREAS, Bryan will be deeply missed by his family and all who were privileged to know this exemplary patriot; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby pay tribute to the life of Staff Sergeant Bryan A. Burgess and extend sincere condolences to his bereaved family; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for his family as an expression of deepest sympathy from the Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Bryan A. Burgess.

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I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 23, 2011, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate