

A RESOLUTION urging schools and businesses to observe a moment of silence at 11 a.m. each Veterans Day.

WHEREAS, the importance of those men and women who have served in the United States Armed Forces cannot be overstated; and

WHEREAS, this chamber acknowledges that importance, and rightfully commends Kentucky's and this nation's brave veterans for the protection that they have given us and the freedom that they continue to ensure; and

WHEREAS, Veterans Day, celebrated each year on November 11, is a special holiday that memorializes the myriad sacrifices of America's military veterans. The holiday is observed on this day in recognition of the signing of the armistice, which ended major combat in World War I on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year 1918; and

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives, in keeping with the honored tradition of this holiday, urges schools and businesses to observe a moment of silence at 11 a.m. each Veterans Day, and in so doing the citizens of this Commonwealth may reflect on all that we owe the men and women whose service has afforded us so much;

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. The House of Representatives urges schools and businesses to observe a moment of silence at 11 a.m. each Veterans Day.

➔Section 2. The members of the House of Representatives recognize the unwavering heroism and sacrifice displayed by this Commonwealth's veterans.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Representative Dean Schamore.