

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION designating a bridge on United States Highway 421 in
2 Harlan County in honor and memory of PFC Arthur Speegle Jr.

3 WHEREAS, Arthur Speegle Jr. was born on October 26, 1922, in Harlan County,
4 Kentucky; and

5 WHEREAS, on November 25, 1941, Arthur Speegle Jr. began serving his country
6 during World War II as a private first class in the United States Army. He was a member
7 of the 145th Infantry Regiment, 37th Division; and

8 WHEREAS, PFC Arthur Speegle Jr. was killed in action on March 18, 1944, during
9 the Solomon Islands Campaign; and

10 WHEREAS, through this designation, the General Assembly both collectively and
11 individually seek to honor the memory and ultimate sacrifice made to his country by PFC
12 Arthur Speegle Jr.;

13 NOW, THEREFORE,

14 ***Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

15 ➔Section 1. The Transportation Cabinet shall designate the bridge on United
16 States Highway 421 South, in Harlan County, past mile marker 10, as the "PFC Arthur
17 Speegle Jr. Memorial Bridge," and shall, within 30 days of the effective date of this
18 Resolution, erect the appropriate signage.