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H. CON. RES. 34

Expressing the sense of the Congress that there should be parity between the compensation of members of the uniformed services and the compensation of civilian employees of the United States.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 12, 1999

Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. WYNN, and Ms. NORTON) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the Congress that there should be parity between the compensation of members of the uniformed services and the compensation of civilian employees of the United States.

Whereas members of the uniformed services of the United States and civilian employees of the United States make significant contributions to the general welfare of the Nation;

Whereas increases in the pay of members of the uniformed services and of civilian employees of the United States have not kept pace with increases in the overall pay levels

of workers in the private sector, so that there now exists a 30 percent gap between compensation levels of Federal civilian employees and compensation levels of private sector workers, and a 9 to 14 percent gap between compensation levels of members of the uniformed services and compensation levels of private sector workers; and

Whereas, in almost every year during the past two decades, there have been equal adjustments in the compensation of members of the uniformed services and the compensation of civilian employees of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
 2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of the Congress that there
 3 should be parity between the compensation of members
 4 of the uniformed services and the compensation of civilian
 5 employees of the United States.

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