

106TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 171

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with respect to the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies for their services in honoring slain Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 13, 1999

Ms. DELAURO submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with respect to the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies for their services in honoring slain Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police.

Whereas, within 48 hours of being called upon, the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies brought together over 200 traditional pipers to perform in honor of slain Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police;

Whereas the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies arranged for the performance of the Prince George's Police and Ocean City Emerald Society

Pipebands from Maryland, the New Jersey State Police/Blue and Gold Pipe and Drums, the Camden County Pipe and Drums from New Jersey, the Irish Brigade Cape Atlantic Pipeband, the Amtrak Police Pipeband, and the Boston Gaelic Column Pipes and Drums at the United States Capitol rotunda services in honor of Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police;

Whereas the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies arranged for the performance of the Chicago Police/Emerald Society Pipe and Drums, the New York State Fraternal Order of Police War Pipes, and the Hamilton County Sheriff's Pipeband from Ohio at the funeral services of Detective John Michael Gibson of the United States Capitol Police on July 30, 1998 and those of Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police on July 31, 1998;

Whereas the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies answered the call to honor their fallen brothers, Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police; and

Whereas the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies fulfilled the wishes of the families of Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police to be Piped Down: Now, therefore, be it

- 1       *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives com-
- 2 mends the National Conference of Law Enforcement Em-
- 3 erald Societies for their distinguished services in honoring

- 1 the late Detective Michael Gibson and Private First Class
- 2 Jacob Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police.

