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Expressing the sense of Congress that the July 20, 1999, 30th anniversary of the first lunar landing should be a day of celebration and reflection on the Apollo-11 mission to the Moon and the accomplishments of the Apollo program throughout the 1960's and 1970's.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

July 20, 1999

Mr. Shelby (for himself, Mr. Sessions, Mrs. Hutchison, Mr. Smith of New Hampshire, Mr. Graham, Mrs. Boxer, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Abraham, Mr. Allard, Mr. Bunning, Mr. Grams, Mr. Lott, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Breaux, Mr. Grassley, Ms. Collins, Mr. Burns, Mr. Byrd, Mr. Brownback, Mr. Hagel, Mr. Coverdell, Mr. Helms, Mr. Specter, Mr. Thurmond, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Dewine, Mr. Dodd, Mr. Feingold, Mr. Levin, Mr. Moynihan, Mr. Gramm, Mr. Mack, Mr. Frist, Mr. Enzi, and Mr. Gregg) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that the July 20, 1999, 30th anniversary of the first lunar landing should be a day of celebration and reflection on the Apollo-11 mission to the Moon and the accomplishments of the Apollo program throughout the 1960's and 1970's.

Whereas the Apollo-11 mission successfully landed a manned spacecraft on the Moon on July 20, 1969, marking the first time in history that humans have walked on the surface of the Moon or any other planet;

- Whereas the 6 Apollo missions successfully departed Earth aboard a Saturn V Rocket, the largest and most powerful American rocket ever produced, en route to the Moon;
- Whereas 12 Americans successfully landed on the surface of the Moon where they performed various experiments and collected samples for study, and planted the flag of the United States of America in the lunar soil achieving a milestone in American and human history;
- Whereas the contributions of other Americans who made up the thousands of contractors and Government employees who worked on the Apollo program are recognized; and
- Whereas the events of the Apollo missions are examples of the great achievements of the American space program reflecting the explorer's spirit of the American people: Now, therefore, be it
 - 1 Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives
 - 2 concurring), That it is the sense of Congress that the 30th
 - 3 anniversary of the first lunar landing should be a day of
 - 4 celebration and reflection on the Apollo-11 mission to the
 - 5 Moon and the accomplishments of the Apollo program
 - 6 throughout the 1960's and 1970's.

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